



Anti-U.S. Posters Placed on Island Highway

Anti-U.S. propaganda is being posted by members of the LPP (Communist) party on Island Highway. Hector Crombie (above) secretary of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce blasted LPP members with: "These are deluded Canadians disrupting friendly co-operation between neighboring democracies." Poster

shown with Mr. Crombie about to tear it down was on Highway near Skeena Road. RCMP are on look-out for others. An LPP spokesman says "about 30" were put up. Unauthorized posters within 1,000 feet of highway are illegal under Highways Act, those posting them being liable to prosecution. (Times photo.)

Reds Set Price For Chiang Seat At 10-Nation Formosa Parley

DULLES MAKES MAJOR POLICY SPEECH TONIGHT

WASHINGTON (UP)—Secretary of State John Foster Dulles will review U.S. foreign policy tonight in a major speech.

Advance indications were that Dulles will clarify U.S. policy on defending Quemoy and Matsu, the Chinese Nationalist-held islands which lie just off the Red Chinese mainland and within range of Communist guns.

Dulles' speech will be delivered to the Foreign Policy Association in New York City but will be broadcast and televised at 7:30 p.m. (PST) by some networks and at 8:30 p.m. by others.

Nevada Atomic Blast Delayed Second Time

Shifting Winds Cause Postponement of AEC Test; May Be Held Tomorrow Morning

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP)—Cautious atomic testers hoped today to plan a third attempt to pry the lid off Operation Teapot, the new nuclear series which has been twice delayed by shifting winds.

The opening shot had been set for Tuesday morning, but was postponed then because of high northerly winds. A meeting today may determine whether the tower blast will be rescheduled for pre-dawn Thursday.

NOT HYDROGEN BOMB

Among those anxious for the get-away blast is AEC chairman Lewis Strauss, who Tuesday released details of the H-bomb's radio-active potency and stressed the need for more civil defense work in this test series. In a new warning of the horrors of atomic war, Strauss said Tuesday his H-bomb blast in the Pacific last March seriously contaminated 7,000 square miles.

On the basis of test data from the very large thermonuclear device set off at Bikini atoll last March and other information, the commission made the following estimates: "Following the March 1, 1954,

explosion, there was sufficient radioactivity in a downwind belt, about 140 miles in length and of varying width up to 20 miles, to have seriously threatened the lives of nearly all persons in the area who took no protective measures.

PROTECTION POSSIBLE

"Some distance farther from the point of detonation, at about 160 miles downwind and along the axis of the ellipse, the amount of radioactivity would have seriously threatened the lives of about one-half of the persons in the area who took no protection measures.

Jenkins Skating Champ

VIENNA (UP)—Hayes Alan Jenkins of Colorado Springs, U.S., retained his world figure skating title tonight at the 1955 championships.

RESCUED JET FLIER HAS LEG AMPUTATED

WINNIPEG (CP)—An American Air Force officer who lay in the northern Saskatchewan bush for three days with a broken leg after parachuting from a doomed Strato-jet bomber had the lower part of his right leg amputated today. Capt. Thomas Pittman, 34, who was rescued Tuesday and flown here, underwent the operation at Deer Lodge Military Hospital.

Doctors said he is in "surprisingly good condition" after his ordeal. The amputation was made just below the right knee. (See Page 3).

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Gang War in Vancouver?

Booby-Trapped Car Hurls Man 10 Feet

Salesman Badly Hurt; Bomb Wired to Ignition

VANCOUVER (CP)—A man who may have been the latest target on an underworld death list lay in a guarded hospital room today after being severely injured in the bomb blast which destroyed his car.

Jack Leonhard, 38-year-old salesman, was reported in satisfactory condition following a successful midnight operation to save his torn right leg. He also suffered facial cuts.

Detectives said Leonhard's car was shattered Tuesday night by a bomb placed beside the battery. It was believed wired to the ignition.

Officials refused to voice any theories but their choice of investigators indicated they are working on the possibility that the assassination attempt may be linked with two other gangland-style attacks here, one of them successful.

Mrs. Pauline Leonhard, the victim's wife, told police she was putting their two children to bed when her husband went out to the car, parked next to the house.

She walked out to the porch just as the blast occurred. "I have no idea who could have done it," she said. "He was very, very lucky."

Fireman Billy MacDonald said "Leonhard was bleeding so much, it was difficult to tell what his injuries were. His clothing was all but torn off him. He was lying on his back, semi-conscious."

Rifle in Car, Shells in Pocket

A telescope-sighted rifle was found in the car, shells for it in Leonhard's pocket.

Detectives Ernie Deacon and Bill Morphet were ordered into the case. They are the team working on the underworld slaying of ex-convict Danny Brent, head waiter shot to death last Sept. 15 on a suburban golf course.

Narcotics valued at \$175,000 were found in his safety deposit box.

They are also investigating officers in the shooting of Bill (The Painter), Semenick, wounded during a gangland ride in 1,000-acre Stanley Park here. Semenick was later sentenced to three months for refusing to name his assailants and goes on trial today on a charge of trafficking in narcotics.

An RCMP drug squad was also called in on the Leonhard case.

Hood Blown 60 Feet Over Roof

Leonhard was thrown 10 feet out of the car.

The hood of the auto was tossed 60 feet over the roof of the garage in front of it into the backyard of neighbors.

The left front fender was found 40 feet away.

Fragments of seat covering and stuffing were tangled in telephone wires in front of the home.

One of the parking light's chrome rings was found 80 feet from the wreckage at the back of the home.

Force of the explosion cracked the driveway beneath the auto and shattered windows in three nearby homes.

Police said it was apparent the "booby trap" bomb had been placed either atop the motor or behind it.

Roof of the auto was pulled back like the top of a sardine can. All the doors and seats were blown out. The motor was torn loose and rammed into the ground.

Dr. Robert Arthur Jones was one of the first to reach Leonhard.

"He was lying in a cloud of smoke," Dr. Jones said.

The victim was unconscious, but revived a few moments later.

"I asked him to open his eyes and he did," Dr. Jones said. "He knew what I was asking him to do."

The doctor said Leonhard kept mumbling, "I'm cold, I'm cold," and was suffering from shock.

Supt. Jack Horton of the Vancouver police department's criminal investigation branch took charge of the case.

Police theorized that the bomb was placed in the auto after Leonhard went in to eat supper.

There is a row of trees and bushes adjacent to the driveway.

Capt. M. K. McLennan of Fire Hall 18 said the bomb was composed of dynamite.

"I could smell the dynamite two blocks away after the blast," he said.

He said Leonhard owed his life to the fact that the would-be assassins chose dynamite as their explosive.

"The safest place to be during a dynamite blast is in the very center of the explosion," Capt. McLennan explained. "That's why he is still alive."

He pointed out that dynamite blasts downward while other explosives blast upward.

Police found a flattened cardboard carton, of the type usually used to hold either shells or explosive, rammed into the springs under the front seat.

WON'T TALK NOW

Shocked Wife Cries! "Why Did He Do It?"

VANCOUVER (CP)—The murder-bid on the life of salesman Jacob Leonhard is all a mystery to his wife.

Leonhard, 38, was seriously injured Tuesday night when his car was blown up by a dynamite bomb.

"I have no idea who put the bomb in the car," Mrs. Leonhard told reporters today. "I don't know of anyone who would have done it."

BEDROOM LITTERED

"I thought the furnace had blown up," said Mrs. Leonhard.

She had been getting her two young children ready for bed in the room opposite the explosion site.

"The bedroom was a mess of shattered glass from the window, but the children were not injured."

A cloud of smoke covered the lawn as Mrs. Leonhard ran to her husband. She collapsed and was treated at hospital for shock.

REMARKS UNEXPLAINED

Leonhard had landed 10 feet from the car wreckage, and neighbors who gathered at the scene quoted Mrs. Leonhard as saying:

"Why did he do it? Why did he throw it here?"

There was no explanation of her remarks today. She told reporters: "I don't want to talk any more."

Leonhard came here four or five years ago from the east, and is reported to have lived in Winnipeg for some years.

Villages Swept Away

JAKARTA, Indonesia (Reuters)—Whole villages have been swept away and tens of thousands left homeless in central Sumatra, where incessant rains during the last 10 days have caused the worst floods in the region's history.

Three Models of Swift Jet Fighter Discarded

LONDON (Reuters)—Britain has developed "an effective air defense" against anything a potential enemy at present could hurl at her, the government announced in a white paper tonight.

The government also claimed Britain possesses the world's best night-time air defense and fighter planes fitted with "the most destructive gun armament in service anywhere in the world."

The government issued the white paper in reply to criticism from newspapers and Labor members of Parliament that the country's fighter aircraft program is lagging.

DIDNT PASS TESTS
The government admitted that after a series of exhaustive tests, it was decided that the first three versions of the Swift jet fighter—onetime holder of the world's speed record—cannot be brought to "an acceptable operational standard."

Modifications have been made recently on the fourth version of the Swift to test whether it has improved sufficiently to be put into service with the RAF.

Troubles with the Hawker Hunter, the white paper said, have been largely overcome and "substantial numbers" of them have been delivered to the RAF.

"The view that the services are equipped with obsolete aircraft dating from the last war is totally incorrect," the white paper said.

The three had been given an ultimatum to get out or fight. Swiss tank officers surveyed the legation area and rifle-armed troops ringed the grounds.

The Swiss government meanwhile formally apologized to Romania for the assault and for the death of Aurel Sedu, the legation's chauffeur, who was fatally injured while resisting the invaders late Monday.

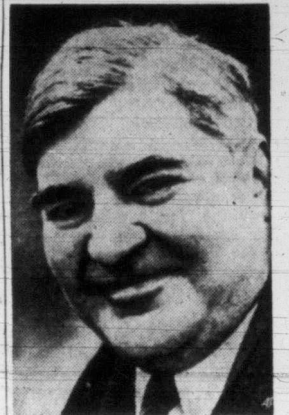
HEADED FOR ST. KITTS

200 Dance Calypso For Princess Margaret

ST. KITTS, Leeward Islands (Reuters)—Princess Margaret headed for a brief but crowded visit on this sugar island today after bidding goodbye to Antigua in a gay calypso jam session Tuesday night.

The princess beat time with her hands and feet and led the applause at a gay musical display for her on the lawns of Government House at St. John's, Antigua.

Clowns wearing weird West Indian "ghost" costumes pranced on the lawn cracking whips and "King Big U" sang a calypso composed in her honor. The more than 200 performers bowed to her at the end of the 90-minute show.



ANEURIN BEVAN
... attacks German plan

Bevan to Force British Debate On Arms Pact?

LONDON (AP)—Aneurin Bevan today pushed a new move to delay West German rearmament until after the Western powers hold top level talks with the Russians.

The left-wing Labor leader has obtained surprisingly large support from the Labor party's moderate wing that heretofore has looked to Clement Attlee, the official leader, for guidance.

Political observers said if Bevan's manoeuvre is successful, he will place both Attlee and the government in an awkward parliamentary position.

Both Attlee and Prime Minister Churchill favor Big Four talks but only after ratification of the Paris agreements to rearm and integrate the West Germans into the Western defense system.

Bevan attacked their position in a motion introduced in the House of Commons Tuesday night. A total of 104 Laborites joined the Bevanites in sponsoring this measure. If this list grows by the week-end to include an absolute majority of the 285 Labor members, the Bevanite motion will have to be debated. The true Bevanite strength is figured at 40.

Attlee would suffer a marked loss of prestige if the motion goes to a debate.

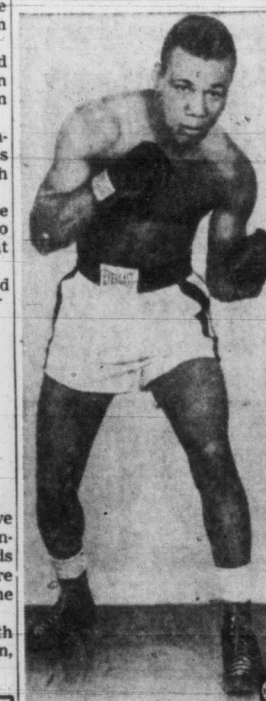
Three anti-Communists holding the barricaded Romanian legation here surrendered without bloodshed today.

The three men were between 27 and 35 years of age. They refused to give their names. The leader of the band told police his father had been killed by the Russians in Romania.

The group, which killed the legation chauffeur when he resisted their early Tuesday, had vowed to hold the legation in this capital of neutral Switzerland until their Red homeland freed five resistance leaders from imprisonment behind the Iron Curtain.

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Fights Bobo

Fresh from his upset triumph over Sugar (Ray) Robinson, Ralph (Tiger) Jones, above, will step into the ring at Chicago tonight against rugged middleweight champion Carl (Bobo) Olson.

Olson was an 8-1 favorite to win the nationally televised bout. (Victorians can view the fight on Channel 11 starting at 7).



Mister Bevan's ag'inst armin', but he don't mind bein' alarmin'.

M' Uncle Zeke got so lost in th' fog las' night, sed he felt like he ought t' be makin' a political speech.

Thet H bomb's durn near as dangerous as a week-end on th' U.S. highways.

PREMIER ABSENT AS INSULTS FLY

Gibson Rips Socred FM Plan; Demands All-Party Inquiry

Liberal Gordon Gibson roared, pleaded, dared, prayed, and shouted Tuesday to have Social Credit issuance of forest management licenses brought under the careful scrutiny of a legislative committee.

The brawny Lillooet member climaxed a speech Tuesday afternoon by asking the government backbenchers to "show some backbone," and force a committee investigation.

Gibson started his speech Monday afternoon, and had to continue Tuesday because of the House's mandatory six o'clock adjournment.

His entire address was based on his claim money is changing hands in the granting of management licenses. "I firmly believe money talks, and has talked," said Gibson.

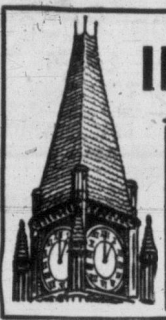
Premier Bennett walked out

minutes after the Lillooet Liberal opened up, and did not enter the chamber again until Gibson took his seat.

As the premier left, Gibson remarked: "I don't wonder the premier is walking out. He can't take it—it must be hard for him to stomach."

He said the entire productive wealth of B.C.'s vital forest industry is passing into the hands of a "few big boys," who are coming directly under the thumb of the government.

"If one of them was seen with the Leader of the Opposition, (Continued on Page 28)



IN PARLIAMENT

Immigration Policy Under Heavy Fire From Davie Fulton

(From CP and BUP Dispatches)

Federal immigration policy and practice has come under opposition fire in the Commons.

The first salvo was fired Tuesday by Davie Fulton (PC-Kamloops) who said the government is "planning for a little Canada" through its reduction of immigration.

He presented a motion calling for a vote of non-confidence in the government on the stated grounds:

"The immigration policy of the government is not clear, consistent or co-ordinated, and is not in conformity with the needs or responsibilities of Canada and in its administration denies simple justice to Canadians and non-Canadians alike."

CCF and Social Credit members spoke in support of the Conservative motion, which has not yet come to a vote. Indications are that the debate will continue for another day or more.

Mr. Fulton proposed "a

planned, vigorous policy of selective immigration to bring in more people."

Given a healthy, growing economy—which he said the government has done little to provide—Canada could absorb more people "without any adverse effect on employment."

"In fact, such a policy will increase opportunities for employment in the long run."

The flow of immigrants had fallen from 194,000 in 1951 to slightly more than 150,000 last year. It likely would not be higher in 1953.

"The trend of the government's policy is towards a steady reduction in the number of people coming to Canada," Mr. Fulton said.

It was a "pessimistic policy of reduction—this planning for a little Canada."

Move to Widen Divorce Laws

A senator-family man with 21 years' experience in handling divorces has introduced legislation to widen the grounds for dissolution of marriage in Canadian courts.

But at the same time his measure, given first reading Tuesday night, proposes that no divorce actions be allowed to start until at least three years after marriage "except in special circumstances. Adultery would be ground for divorce action any time."

Sponsor of the bill is Senator William Aseltine, 68-year-old Progressive Conservative from Saskatchewan. He is married and has four children.

Senator Aseltine's bill would include as divorce grounds in provincial courts: adultery, desertion for three years, cruelty and insanity. In addition, a wife could launch a divorce petition on the ground her husband was

guilty of rape, sodomy or bestiality.

In stating that no divorce action could be started until three years after marriage, the measure sets out the condition that courts could hear cases sooner under special circumstances. These would be exceptional hardship, cases involving the interests of children or in cases of adultery.

The bill is similar to one which received Senate endorsement in 1938 but failed to get beyond second reading — approval in principle — in the Commons. That measure was proposed by the late Conservative senator Lendrum McMeans of Winnipeg and was seconded by Senator Aseltine.

Hangman Will Not Testify

Parliamentarians studying whether hanging of criminals should be abolished or retained decided Tuesday against hearing what the hangman has to say on the question.

A majority of the Commons-Senate committee on capital punishment believes the executioner's evidence will not help them make up their minds.

The joint committee voted 12 to 5 on a show of hands against a proposal by Harold Winch (CCF—Vancouver East) that the hangman give evidence. Eight of the 27-member committee were absent from the meeting and two present abstained from voting.

Decision of the committee, appointed to study whether Criminal Code sections on capital and corporal punishment and lotteries should be amended, was made at a meeting called specifically to discuss Mr. Winch's proposal.

Mr. Winch said evidence from the hangman might be considered "gruesome" by some members but the committee needs all possible information on capital punishment.

Senator Nancy Hodges (Lib., British Columbia) opposed the proposal on the ground that "we have enough gruesomeness today."

There was an hour's debate on a bill of Mrs. Ellen Fairclough (PC—Hamilton West) to require equal pay for equal work by women in industries under federal labor jurisdiction. The bill was defeated by a vote of 107 to 83, in which 11 Liberals voted with the three opposition parties, including J. L. MacDougall (Vancouver Burrard); Elmore Philpott (Vancouver South); and Tom Goode (Burnaby-Richmond).

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PGE Bill Gets Second Reading Under Hot Fire

Expropriation Legislation Hit by Liberals

The Legislature Tuesday gave second reading to a bill giving the PGE extraordinary powers of expropriation, which was opposed by the Liberals on grounds it infringes on rights of the individual.

The CCF voted with the government. CCF leader Arnold Webster said his party agreed with the principle of the expropriation bill, "that the freedom of the individual must not stand in the way of the general good."

Attorney-General Robert Bonner told the House the bill probably will be amended when it goes into the committee stage. The amendment is expected to give land owners more warning before their property is taken over.

Liberal George Gregory, of Victoria, said the act will give the minister of railways "powers never given to any minister since the wild and woolly days of 1911."

"EXCEPTIONAL CASES"

The act will enable the PGE to expropriate land before court arbitration proceedings are under way. Attorney-General Robert Bonner said it would only be invoked in "exceptional cases."

Liberal Leader Arthur Laing said the new bill "is a deliberate bill, designed to put people in their place." He said there is a general contention a large corporation is involved. Mr. Laing apparently referred to Britannia Mining and Smelting Co., which owns land needed for the southern extension. Negotiations are deadlocked after almost a year.

HISTORIC STATE

Portugal has been an independent state since the 12th century.

Formosa Settlement Certain Says Nehru

'Co-Existence or Co-Destruction' Only Choice Facing World Powers

NEW YORK (UP)—Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru of India believes the Formosa problem will be settled peacefully because the only alternative of co-existence is "co-destruction."

"Some kind of co-existence in the modern world is the only way to live on," Nehru said in an interview on the CBS television show "See It Now" Tuesday night. "The alternative is co-destruction. . . I am sure that all parties do not want war and that is the most hopeful thing."

REACH AGREEMENT

Nehru said India has come to certain agreements with Communist China including "non-aggression and what is important, non-interference in each other's affair — internal or other."

The relationship between Russia and Red China is friendly, Nehru said, but while Chi-

nese internal policy "may be partly guided . . . by Communist ideology . . . it is all translated in terms of Chinese life." Nehru said the Chinese "no doubt will continue as friends to the Soviets (while leading) their independent life as a nation."

Nehru also said he believes the recent shakeup in the Kremlin was concerned with internal affairs and Russian foreign policy will "continue more or less as it has in the recent past."



CELEBRATING her 90th birthday, Miss Margaret Irvine has spent all of her years on Rosebank Farm, 3920 Cedar Hill Road. Her great niece, Mrs. Gilbert Brown, says Miss Irvine is a true-blue Victorian. She has never been to Vancouver, never over the Malahat. Once she went to Aldergrove but, after a week, she hurried home. Her parents settled here in 1851.

Soviet, Japan Open Peace Talks Shortly

TOKYO (AP)—A Russian concession today paved the way for peace negotiations between Japan and the Soviet Union in New York, probably in the next few weeks.

In a note delivered to Prime Minister Ichiro Hatoyama, the Russians waved their preference for Moscow or Tokyo as a meeting site and said they would agree to the place "the Japanese government considers most adequate."

Japan told Russia officially Feb. 5 that it felt New York was the best.

"The Japanese government thinks New York, which is the site of the United Nations headquarters—the centre of world peace projects—where official representatives of both governments are stationed, is a proper and convenient place for achievement of the purpose of the negotiations at issue," Japan said.

Hatoyama accepted the Russian note but declined to discuss it with reporters.

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In the House

Agin' Mice and Beavers
Is Similkameen MLA
By TONY DICKASON

Little denizens of the forest are getting into the thinning of Francis Xavier Richter, a seemingly intense gentleman who represents Similkameen among Sored back-benchers, and in the legislature.

He is particularly harried by the vision of "beavers and mice" in orchards, and wants his government to engage a few experts in predator control to discourage same.

Mr. Richter was not just sure where mice and beavers stood categorically, except when in orchards. "They seem to be predators," he opined.

We can see a beaver hacking down a pretty plum tree for the wood, and towing it away to conserve moisture via its own peculiar dam method. But where the mice fit in was not told. Mr. Richter didn't even nibble at an explanation. Nonetheless mice were a mounting menace, in a small way.

Mr. Richter was not sure either just under which department beavers and rodents came, but when he called them "predators," Bruce Brown, Prince Rupert Liberal member, hazarded a guess:

He Makes It a Whispering Gallery

"Don't talk of the attorney-general that way," he said in his customary chamber-filling whisper.

The Similkameen member is piously proud of the Pentlitz Va. now battling in Germany for the amateur world hockey championship. He thinks this will ice relations with Europe.

Only, Mr. Richter, if we lose, graciously!

(Ladies: Mrs. Lydia Arsens, who wears well, and yawns well, has given no indication of changing her political Sacred dress. She wore a conservative brown suit.)

A healthy-looking type accustomed to blowing whistles at various games, and who has played more than a few himself, is Bill Moore, CCF voice from Comox constituency. He's 32, a ball player, and on week-ends tends more to sporty appearing club jackets emblazoned with colors than to morning clothes. He's an exception on the opposition side of the House, being in favor of the government's Einar

they do, which he is against.

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Mr. Gibson is not broke; neither is he a small logger. But he is definitely emphatic.

Tired of Label 'Big and Bluff'

A man who believes he will never see a poem as lovely as a tree is Lillooet Liberal member Gordon Gibson, called "big and bluff" so long it irks him now. We will just say he has a voice like an amplified growl. He's a lumberman who has been successfully chopping away at trees for years, and is still doing it in the legislature.

One of Mr. Gibson's advantages is that despite his considerable size, he can assume the look of an outraged choir boy. And he does when he speaks of government granting of forest management licenses, which

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UNDER BCHIS PLAN

British Columbians Linger in Hospital

Health Minister Eric Martin Tuesday warned B.C. medical men to cut down on the length of stay of patients in the province's public hospitals.

The minister said it is "most urgent that the staffs of our public hospitals and medical practitioners co-operate to hold down the length of stay, which is gradually increasing at a steady rate."

"I wouldn't give way to a patient who wants to roll around an extra day at the expense of the taxpayers," Mr. Martin said. In 1949, he said, BCHIS records showed there were 1,528 patient-days per 1,000 of population. This has climbed to 1,786 patient-days per 1,000 in 1954.

"This means more people per 1,000 of population are going to hospital, and they are staying longer," Mr. Martin said, adding that "this adds up to increased costs, which are not in proportion to population increase."

The hospital insurance scheme was put on a straight welfare basis at the last session of the legislature, when the government abolished premium payments, and increased sales tax from 3 to 5 per cent.

The health minister said the number of patient days increased by 170,000 over the previous year during 1954. "The normal population gain would be the most account for only 70,000 of the total," he said. Mr. Martin said the longer stay trend is noticed "primarily on the Lower Mainland, and has not been recorded in the same degree on Vancouver Island or up-country areas."

He said that in the Vancouver-New Westminster area, new hospital construction would have taken all pressure off acute hospital beds if the length of stay had remained constant.

Mr. Martin also urged "community leadership" in the establishment of facilities for chronic or long-term patients as another method of easing the acute bed shortage.

TOBOGGAN CHAMP
ST. MORITZ, Switzerland (Reuters)—Montreal businessman Douglas Conner, 36, streaked across the finish line of the famed Cresta run on his stripped-down "skeleton" toboggan today to take the world championship—fighting to control the sled despite the pain of a broken finger.

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Starved, Hurt Jetman Couldn't Crawl to Food

Stratojet Blast Survivor Tells Of His 72 Hours in -20 Weather

By WALTER GRAY
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

WINNIPEG (CP)—A mighty happy guy arrived in Winnipeg Tuesday night.

Capt. Tommy Pittman was safe. Only five hours before he lay severely injured and helpless in a snowdrift in the northern Saskatchewan bush. He had been without food and without sleep for three nights and three days in sub-zero temperatures. His only shelter was his parachute. A new-type survival suit saved his life.

His right leg was smashed. Both legs were frost-bitten. His

Public, Press Hail Britain's New 'Atom Era'

LONDON (Reuters)—Britain today welcomed the advent of her "atomic era" with a mixture of pride and hope.

People all over the country see Britain "taking the lead" in a new pioneering development as the government disclosed its intention of switching over from coal to atomic power to supply industrial and domestic electricity.

The "sense of excitement" admitted by Fuel Minister Geoffrey Lloyd as he announced the atomic plan to the House of Commons Tuesday throbbed through homes and "pubs" Tuesday night and was reflected anew in newspaper headlines today.

In the largest-scale nuclear power program yet drawn up by any country, Britain will put 12 atomic generating stations into operation in the next 10 years. By 1975 the electric power output from atomic plants is expected to reach a level just below the present generating capacity of all Britain's present conventional plants.

The Daily Mail sees "a new era in Britain's industrial history."

Says the Daily Sketch: "Make a note of this date. You'll be telling your grandchildren."

Flashes Big Smile in Hospital

From his stretcher in Winnipeg's Deer Lodge Military Hospital, the 34-year-old airman flashed a big smile and drawled:

"I'm mighty glad to be here. How did he feel?"

"Oh, I've got a few aches and pains here and there but otherwise I'm all right."

Pittman, a native of Fabens, Tex., was one of three who survived when the Stratojet bomber from 22nd Bomber Wing at Riverside, Calif., exploded while flying 35,000 feet over northern Saskatchewan, 435 miles northwest of Winnipeg.

The pilot, Lt.-Col. Kenneth G. McGrew, 33, was rescued a few hours after the crash. Capt. Lester E. Epton, 33, the co-pilot, was found Saturday morning, and rescued by an RCAF rescue team from Winnipeg.

Major Robert Dowdy, 31, the navigator, was killed. His body was found in the wreckage Monday.

Was Just Along for the Ride

McGrew and Epton were treated in hospital for frost-bites, cuts and bruises and flown to Riverside Tuesday.

The Stratojet was on the return leg of a polar training flight, in company with four other aircraft when the jet engines in the right wing caught fire. The crew managed to extinguish the fire but moments later the plane exploded.

McGrew and Epton were knocked unconscious by the blast and hurtled into space. They regained consciousness and parachuted to safety.

Pittman said he had a day off Friday and decided to "go along for the ride" to test a new type of survival suit, a rubberized garment both airtight and waterproof.

He was the only one of the four to wear survival gear, although the other three had it along with them.

Pittman, himself a Stratojet captain, said Dowdy was knocked unconscious by the explosion. Pittman tried to press the button that would fire Dowdy's ejection seat but the motion of the cartwheeling aircraft prevented him from doing so.

LANDED ON BROKEN LEG

He began to slide toward the rear of the crew compartment. "It was a bad sensation," he said, "like a person sliding down a hill..."

He slid right through a hole in the side of the plane and parachuted to earth. Sometime during the explosion his leg was broken. He landed on the broken leg.

"But I didn't feel a thing... It was numb."

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Mr. Gunderson's Position

MR. GUNDERSON SAYS THAT it is proper for him, an employee of a Social Credit Government, to be a director of the Bank of Commerce because Social Credit has no quarrel with the private banking system.

This remarkable statement, made in Vancouver a few days ago, offers the final proof that Mr. Gunderson knows little or nothing about Social Credit, the system which he advocated in three campaigns for the Legislature.

Apart from all its fancy trimmings, Social Credit is essentially an attack on the banking system. It has always held that the banks, by their power to create and extinguish money, in the form of credit, are at the bottom of all our troubles.

After his long residence in Alberta Mr. Gunderson should remember, for example, the first report of Major Douglas, inventor of Social Credit, to the Alberta Government.

In it Major Douglas said that the Bank of Canada on behalf of the "international bankers" would oppose the establishment of a Social Credit system in Alberta. The bankers, from the beginning, were the villains of the piece.

Or if Mr. Gunderson will look at the Manifesto of the Social Credit Association of Canada, dated April, 1950, (page 6) he will find that under the proposed Social Credit state "the Chartered Banks would be required to maintain a 100% cash reserve behind their demand deposits to insure that they would no longer have the power to expand credit as in the past."

In other words, Social Credit would cut the heart out of the private banking system. Yet, oddly enough, the Bank of Commerce welcomes to its directorate a leading apostle of Social Credit, a three-time candidate of the party and the chief adviser of a Social Credit Government.

Record in Alberta

Mr. Gunderson may say that Social Credit, wild in theory, is sane in practice, that its bark is worse than its bite, that the public can safely ignore its election slogans. This, unfortunately, is not true. For in Mr. Gunderson's own province of Alberta Social Credit has not only preached its doctrines but has attempted to enforce them and virtually to repeal and destroy the present banking system.

If the banking system stands for anything it is the sanctity of financial contract. But the first act of the Alberta Government was to repudiate its bond interest payments, thus to cut the value of its bonds in half and to wreck the savings of many Canadian citizens—this though the Federal Government was ready to bail Alberta out of its immediate difficulties.

Repudiation was only the beginning of the attack on everything for which the banking system stands. For some years Alberta tried to establish Social Credit by various devices which were promptly quashed by the courts. Meanwhile, they denounced bankers in a famous leaflet entitled "Bankers' Toadies," which read as follows:

"My child, you should never say hard or unkind things about Bankers' Toadies. God made Bankers' Toadies, just as He made snakes, slugs, snails and other creep-crawly treacherous and poisonous things. Never therefore abuse them—just exterminate them!"

This resulted in a Sacred MLA and one of its experts from England

being sentenced to jail for criminal libel.

All Social Credit's earlier plans being quashed in the courts, along with a law to muzzle the press, the Alberta Government finally launched its supreme attack in the spring of 1946.

Its legislation was called, with a curious irony, "An Act Respecting the Rights of Alberta Citizens." This act proposed to establish inside Alberta, and isolated from the rest of Canada, a provincial system of money, in competition with the money system and the banking system of the nation. If that scheme had succeeded Gresham's ancient law of money would soon have made sure that the bad money of Alberta drove out the good money of the nation.

In any case, the Alberta law was designed to rescue the province from the alleged evils of the banking system. It was a plan to destroy that system, in its essentials, within Alberta.

Discussing the new legislation in the provincial Legislature, Mr. Lucien Maynard, attorney-general, even said that he did not believe that the banks had the constitutional authority to expand credit, despite the fact that they were doing so. "The Fathers of Confederation," he added, had never intended to give the banks that power and "they are operating on that basis without constitutional authority." (Edmonton Journal report, March 26, 1946.)

Thus while Mr. Gunderson says Social Credit has no quarrel with the banks, the original Social Credit Government of Alberta charges them with operating illegally.

Solon Low Dictum

Again, writing in Maclean's Magazine in April, 1945, Mr. Solon Low, leader of the Social Credit Party, explained that in the Social Credit state the banks would be shorn of their present financial power, though they would "enjoy increased prestige and greatly expanded business opportunities, but without any vestige of power over the national economy." They could not issue money, in the form of credit, "except as agents for the national monetary authority. However, if the banks refused to operate under the new conditions, naturally Parliament would have no option but to nationalize banking."

In the light of this record how can Mr. Gunderson say that Social Credit has no quarrel with the banking system? The only charitable explanation is that he knows nothing about Social Credit.

That is a strange qualification for an expert advising a Social Credit Government and a politician who is working with Mr. Bennett and others to establish Social Credit as the political system of Canada.

On the other hand, if he does understand and advocates Social Credit, as he says he does, then his qualifications as a bank director are even more curious.

Whether the banking system is

Blowing Hotter and Colder

AS USUAL, THE CRYPTIC comments of the Kremlin have the western world guessing what Soviet intentions may be.

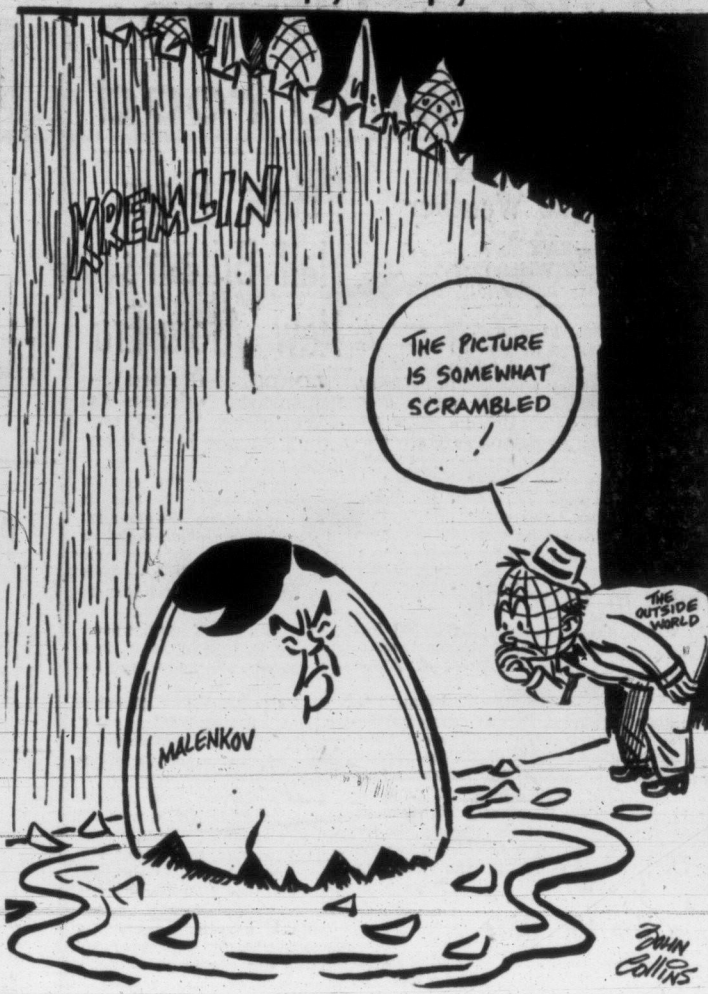
Consider yesterday's news dispatches. A Chinese item quoted Mr. Mao Tse-tung as declaring that China and Russia together would wipe the imperialists off the face of the earth if the latter started an aggressive war. A Moscow dispatch had Premier Bulganin pledging Soviet aid for Red China whenever it might be necessary. Apparently clear enough.

But a London item quoted Tass

Agency, the Russian news distribution medium, as giving assurances from Premier Bulganin that the Soviet attitude to the United States has not changed and that Russia wants only peace.

There is an old story about the Irishman who complained that an acquaintance used to pat him on the back in front of his face and punch him in the nose when his back was turned. No doubt the Kremlin would claim to have invented such tactics first. But in any case, there is little in the Russian contradictions to inculcate a sense of security abroad.

Humpty Dumpty



Chips

BY DAVID BROCK

I WAS watching a 13-year-old boy entertaining a young woman of 22. He had met her only a few minutes before, but she was affable and lively and by no means a trouble to look at, and for him to play host to her was an agreeable task. When you say that an ordinary visitor makes you feel ten years older, you do not mean it in the sense that this boy meant it.

I could see that he was about to produce his cage of pet mice at any moment. When the young woman realized he was a well-known mouse-fancier, it would probably make her feel like Desdemona listening to the exploits of Othello, all wood to his or at least considerably softened up. Touched (in the romantic and not the medical sense, though really I think Desdemona and her man gave every sign of being touched in both senses).

At a suitable pause the boy said "Do you like mice?" "No," said she. This short word was said skillfully enough. It managed to convey polite regret as well as a total absence of any taste for mice. Still, it was not tapered off by any vague qualification. It was just a "no." And what do you suppose the fickle mouse-lover said, this betrayer of all that is finest in mousehood? "Why, he said firmly and even scornfully "Neither do I." For that moment I think he not only felt ten years older but actually WAS ten years older. And me, it brought me back a long, long way.

ESCAPISM IN REVERSE

TALKING of children, my wife has invented a new kind of children's book. (And about time, too. Down with Enid Blyton—A blight on Blyton.) These books of hers will be about some perfectly ghastly but convincing parents who make life hell for their children. These parents will know (and use) ten thousand ways of being beastly. The books will need to be written with a certain skill, but one skill only, and a small one at that: the young reader must realize that not all parents are like this, but only some. He will then congratulate himself (or oh! she will congratulate herself) that his own parents are not quite that bad. Stupid and mean-spirited though his own malignant father and mother may sometimes appear, they will compare very favorably with the brace of tyrants in the book. Much fiction is aimed at making you sorry your own life and your companions are so awful. This fiction of my wife's will have the opposite effect.



From Our Files

Feb. 16, 1895—The select committee appointed to investigate the Parliament Buildings construction muddle met this morning. There might be something to report were it not for the star chamber methods used.

Feb. 16, 1915—J. H. Schofield, M.P.P. Ymir, received the annual gift of apples from Creston Board of Trade and distributed the fruit to the members yesterday.

Feb. 16, 1935—Drawing theatre-goers to the Capitol for three days is "The County Chairman," starring Will Rogers. Picture in Times today shows the parents of the quintuplets, at a dinner in Chicago, where festivities have been staged for them.

As Our Readers See It

IT'S THE CUMBERLAND COMET

I am sure Terry Tobacco's friends and admirers in Victoria will appreciate your editorial tribute to him in Tuesday night's paper. I am not so sure how the people of Cumberland will feel about your designation of Comox as his home town. In case they swarm down in anger at you and you wish to take evasive action, may I offer the facilities of the "Y" track club, where you may round into shape to beat a speedy retreat.

HARRY MITCHELL,
Assistant Coach, "Y" Track Club.

Editor's Note:—Suitable apologies are tendered.

STATING A PLAIN FACT

Your correspondent, Mr. L. J. Pepper is again to be congratulated for his letter to the Victoria Daily Times of Feb. 12. His remarks are concise, pertinent and also erudite. I thank him.

I have no wish to cause any controversy, but I know this, that if Mr. Pepper and I were living the Christian life we would have no time to write these letters to the Times, for we would be too busy helping someone less fortunate.

TOM JOLLY,
3817 Cadboro Bay Road.

JUST HAPPENED

It is not my objective to enter into any controversy with various scribes submitting articles to your newspaper pertaining to the controversial subject drummed up by Mrs. Margaret Knight, broadcasting over the BBC, on the contrary; my aim is to relate my own personal viewpoint and experience involved with the deity of Almighty God.

I am a Christian! How? By the Grace of God. By experiencing barriers of sin being removed from my life. By believing in the Christ who paid the price for us all on the cross of Calvary. I had been an alcoholic gambler, smoker, blasphemer; and in general stooped to lowest of Satan's bidding. All this sordid past has been removed from me. How? By will power! No sir. By God power, and His only.

One day I was visiting my brother in Vancouver and we went to Stanley Park. I was holding his eleven-month-old

daughter in my arms watching the penguins; when I overheard a man next to me telling his wife that through evolution the penguin played a predominant part in the creation of man.

At first I was stunned, but then I gathered my composure quickly; and turning to him I held my niece up to him to see and said: "Sir, do you see any similarity between this child and those penguins?" He answered me never a word, and left muttering with his wife.

To that Godless man, if just happened, and it is people like that throughout the world whom need the prayers of all Christians, much more so than our criticisms. I write not as a saint, my friends, but as a sinner redeemed through the blood of Jesus Christ.

EX-SINNER.

EMOTION IS NOT ENOUGH

The recent stimulating challenge of the Opposition speakers in the Provincial House must have revealed to the public not only the virility contained in the speeches themselves, which were commendably forthright, but also the vigilance exerted by those whom we too readily forget in our comprehension of government.

Messrs. Gibson, Gregory and Gibbs secured no "wrapping paper" for their deliveries, which contained substance for thought based as they were on fact. The revelation of "fact" is the prime duty of the Opposition—it is invaluable towards a future election.

"Social Credit," claimed by adherents to be a movement rather than a party, is by connotation heavily freighted with emotion. Emotion as we know "veils" as well as "garbles" truth. Hence we must not permit our natural sympathetic tears to blind us to the business being transacted in our name.

Emotionally, Mr. Bennett finally found solace in the arms of a group he barely understood. Emotionally he is all a convert is expected to be—but "British Columbia" is ours and it is of Canada for Canadians!

KATHLEEN M.
WORTHINGTON-LAKE.

851 Maddison.

Halfway to Heaven Deserted

BY JOSEPH ALSOP, From North Tachen Island

ONE of the casualties of the latest free world retreat in Asia is a place called Halfway to Heaven. Halfway to Heaven perches, or rather used to be perched, on the cratered summit of the highest peak of North Tachen, some 1,500 feet above the surrounding

nourishing sea. It began a little more than a century ago, when the first harsh impact of the modern world on ancient China produced the Taiping rebellion, which in turn produced a fearful famine in Chekiang province. Fleeing the famine, a handful of inhabitants of the Chekiang town of Wan Ling, found a safe refuge on this island crag and stayed to build a village, or rather two villages, for the lesser of the two adjoining craters contains Little Halfway to Heaven, and the larger, Big Halfway to Heaven.

For five generations, sons succeeded fathers, gradually clawing new terraces from the crater walls and naked mountainside for their plots of vegetables and sweet potatoes, gradually adding vessel to vessel in Halfway to Heaven's fleet of fishing sampans until there were 130 sampans owned among the hundred families of peak dwellers.

The bitter poverty of the original refugees thus slowly gave way to a kind of crude prosperity. Long low houses of curved stone, with finely carved, boldly curved ridgepoles were built to cling to the crater sides. A little temple to the Taoist earth godlings gave the villagers some one to pray to when times were hard. The young men fished all year. The elders, the children and the women filled the terraces.

NOT ILL-CONTENT

With salt and cloth from the big settlement on South Tachen Island, with their fish and sweet potatoes and vegetables, with a rare treat of meat from the pigs, chickens, rabbits and goats they also kept, the people of Halfway to Heaven were not ill-content.

But for a hundred years no outsider ever saw Halfway to Heaven, except the people from Door of the Wind Hill, the village on the other side of the crag, and the huge, superbly winged fish eagle that had his nest on the cliff below the village graves.

Then, President Eisenhower "unleashed Chiang Kai-shek" and the American government pressured the Chinese Nationalist government into occupying the Tachens in force. So the soldiers came, barracks were built, and Halfway to Heaven briefly tasted an unfamiliar uneasy prosperity. And then again, President Eisenhower released Chiang Kai-shek, and the American government pressured the Chinese Nationalists into abandoning the Tachens; and that was the end of Halfway to Heaven.

In the Chinese way, the end came without undue lamentation. The villagers talked it over and decided that what they had heard of communism from their fellow fisherfolk from the mainland was ugly enough to justify a move. The government said it would help. And so, the afternoon before the move was to be made, no one was weeping except the wife of the elder of the Leng family. She was deaf and could not read, and she wept because she had grasped that a move impended but no one could tell her why or where.

PREPARED TO MOVE

The elder of Leng, a little, old, grained, toothless man like a weathered root, with what must really be the last queue on any Chinese head, was ignoring his weeping wife.

He and the elders of Chu and the young men and boys of Little Halfway to Heaven were sitting in the pale, watery sun in the village centre, while the women finished their packing. Yes, they said, they were leaving. Yes, it was hard to go, but they did not want to stay. They had swept the graves one last time, and now they were ready.

It was the same in Big Halfway to Heaven, where is found the house of the place's richest man, Cheng who owned three whole sampans in the fleet

that used to sail from the foot of Knife Back Mountain.

He had enough capital stored up to open a restaurant when the soldiers came, and his Chinese crullers and hot soy bean milk brought him in the magnificent cash profit of two dollars a day. But Cheng too was leaving without reluctance.

As dusk fell, the village headman, Lo The Clever, came back from organizing the evacuation of all North Tachen Island—Kwan Yins Village, Bare Rock, the East Village and the rest—which were all to be led by Lo. He had his aged mother to calm and his household to organize, for Lo The Clever is a widower. So he let his deputy, Hung give the movement orders to the chiefs of the "Sections" of fifty or sixty people into which the village, by immemorial Chinese custom, is administratively divided.

FINAL MEETING

The meeting took place in the upper room of the house of Liang, a big house, for the Liang clan was the largest in Halfway to Heaven. A score of men, young and old, stood around the table, their faces work hardened, their black peasants' clothes worn, making a picture fit to be painted by a Chinese Broughton in the yellow light of a guttering tallow candle. Hung read the movement order in a brisk sing-song.

Departure would be at nine the next morning. Each section leader would be responsible for his section. Each person would be allowed to carry 100 pounds of personal belongings if he could manage that much.

There were quick questions: How about bad weather at sea, from a weatherwise fisherman; how about pregnant women, would they get medical care on the ships, from a young father-son to-be; and so on. Hung dealt with the questions intelligently. And then everyone went home for a great feast of all the food that could not be sold to the soldiers, was not worth carrying, and was no longer worth scrimping against a poor season.

Before dawn the next morning, the young men of the village set off down the mountain side, each balancing two enormous packs on his back. At first Lo had a little trouble forming the line to his taste.

LAST SHOUT

Then the last shout was given. Little Liang marched proudly forward. Children shouldered the babies. Men and women, young or old, hoisted up their heavy packs. Even the old boundfeet grannies carried something. But none complained. And so the slowly moving line wound its way up over the crater lip and down the long miles of fearfully curving, fearfully mud-slimed road to Yellow One Beach where the transports awaited them.

An old nanny goat and her two kids, which had somehow escaped the pot, were being chased by two soldiers when the last of those who had made Halfway to Heaven a living breathing place of habitation cast his last backward glance into the familiar hollow on the mountain summit. The great fish eagle still magnificently volplaned in the cloudy sky above. But the doorways of the houses were dark and deserted. The muddy lanes were strewn with the rubbish of departure.

Halfway to Heaven was dead—killed by forces it did not understand, utterly destroyed because it had been briefly swept, by what strange processes and chances, into the fearful vortex of great events.

The King-Fisher

The menace of your sword-like beak, A gruesome silhouette outlined, Pointed against a barren bleak Unfriendly sky. Your keen eyes blind To flame-hued grace and mirrored fronds, See succulence to satisfy Your lust for food: piercing the pond's Green shade with patience of the sky, Those avid eyes are little caring If prey is prized gold-fish or herring.

—Margaret Hurdon Keller.

Judge Castigates Thief's Boss; Implies Low Pay Justifies Act

BALTIMORE (AP) — After Mrs. Augustine Bright pleaded guilty Tuesday to the theft of \$189.13 from her employer, Judge Joseph R. Byrnes gave her a 30-day suspended sentence, placed her on probation and said there should be no restitution.

"If it weren't for my oath of office I would find this woman not guilty," Byrnes added. "Any time a man works a woman like that for \$20 a week..."

The 32-year-old Negro mother of one child admitted she took the money from her employer in small amounts over a six-week period. It was testified she earned \$20.53 for working a 54-hour week in a laundry and dry-cleaning store.

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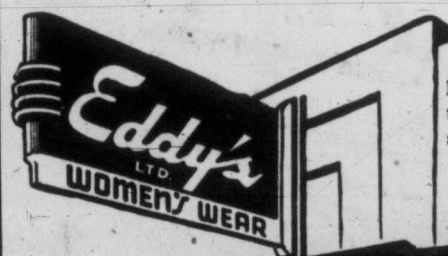
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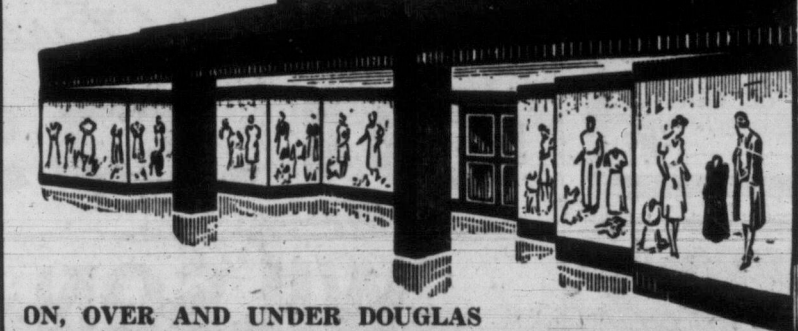
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The rugged man is brutal— He would never get his suit all Muddled up by playing dressed in snowy-white.

So, to strike up an affinity With Magdalen and Trinity Please publish this, and set the matter right."

There was something tantalizingly familiar about those cadences—but then, all Britishers can toss off stuff like that. The poet it recalled was an ex-Royal Navy type named Norman Hutchinson.

"Hutch" was a radar type who was exiled, in the latter days of the Pacific war, to HMCS Uganda—popularly known among its crew as "The Snarling U." An insouciant cove, who

once confessed that his ambition in life was to open a ladies' lingerie shop (it was hot on the equator), "Hutch" took severe umbrage at the term "Kipper," which was frequently applied to Englishmen in the service.

On the day before he was due to leave Uganda, "Hutch" wrote the ship's paper a poetic protest, which went like this:

"Dear Sir—I've exhausted my patience! I write this in angry protest! Some things are too much to be borne, Sir—Let's get this affair off my chest.

Today, Sir, they called me a 'Kipper'—Egad, Sir, I ruptured my spleen. If you've ever had kippers for breakfast You'll agree that the term is obscene.

Now 'Limey' or 'Pommie' or 'Juicer' Are words that no one should mind; But 'Kipper'! Well, dammee, it stinks, Sir—No filthier word could one find.

"Mr. Editor, warn your young readers And warn all the old 'uns, as well, That use of this term may cause bloodshed—Do they mean to imply that I smell?"

Is this an anonymous letter? I'll say that it isn't—not much! For in signing this letter of protest, I am, Sir—Yours Faithfully,

"Hutch."

See what I mean?

By this time, no doubt, "Hutch" is deep into the intricacies of the garment trade, and gone beyond recall. But if the local man who signs himself "Oxonian," author of the first poem, will step forward and identify himself, we'll stake him to a pint of 'arf and 'arf at the British Public Schools Club. We can use talent like that in this paper!

DUPLESSIS AIDE BACKS NON-PUBLIC ROAD BIDS

QUEBEC CITY (BUP)—Roads Minister Antonio Talbot told the Legislature Tuesday night the Quebec government did not use the public tender system in awarding highway construction contracts because it doubted the cost.

"Experience has taught us that a road built under a contract awarded by public tender always costs almost double," he said in answer to Liberal criticisms of the system of private contract negotiations.

Judge Backs Immigrant He Ruled Against

Quebec Jurist Asks Ottawa to Review Case of Jamaica Student Ordered Deported

MONTREAL (BUP)—A hospitable judge who said he "cannot remain indifferent" was lined up today on the side of a Jamaican student whom he ruled against in a deportation hearing.

Justice T. A. Rheame, whose action Tuesday in turning down student George S. Simmonds' bid for a writ of habeas corpus technically meant that Simmonds lost his last attempt to stay in Canada with his new Canadian bride, said he had no alternative because all the legal formalities had been followed.

But he added in a rare courtroom statement that the immigration department had failed to establish a justifiable cause for the deportation order which was issued after Simmonds, a University of Toronto student who entered Canada on a visitor's visa, got a part-time job as a painter.

Simmonds said he went to work to help support the Canadian girl he married last September.

Justice Rheame suggested from the bench that the federal government review the case and said "I cannot remain indifferent to sentiments of hospitality toward this man."

The judge said he was satisfied with evidence that the Jamaican was "of good character and honest reputation" and was "a British subject on Canadian soil."

Simmonds won a Christian Church scholarship in Kingston, Jamaica, to study at the Southern Christian Institute in Mississippi. He then got a United States visitor's visa to enter Canada as a student two years ago and registered at the University of Toronto. The immigration department ordered him deported as an "undesirable" after it learned he got a job.

TIDES AT VICTORIA

(Pacific Standard Time)

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More Things Not So

Dr. Alvarez is Emeritus Consultant in Medicine, Mayo Clinic and Emeritus Professor of Medicine, Mayo Foundation.

ONE of the things that is not so is the idea that a person commonly curses like a pirate and tells secrets while he is under an anesthetic. In the old days, when persons given ether were strapped out with a cone (made of some paper and a towel) jammed down on their face, many struggled and fought to get free; a few cursed, but I never heard one tell any secrets.

Today, a high percentage of the persons who are anesthetized in a modern hospital are put to sleep gently with a little solution of pentothal, injected into the veins of the arm. They are asleep before they know it; and hence there is neither discomfort nor thrashing about nor talking. There isn't the stage of excitement through which many people used to pass as they were being brought fully under the influence of ether.

Another thing, much feared by many persons, and without much justification, is that during an operation they will be unable to move, but will still feel the pain. A skilled anesthetist will see to it that this does not happen. Sometimes a patient who is being operated on under a local or a "block" anesthesia will begin to feel pain, in which case all he has to do is to complain to the anesthetist sitting beside him. Then he can be given some gas to take away his consciousness.

FRIGHT CAN KILL

An old fear, now without much justification, is that the patient will die on the table. Today this rarely happens, and when it does, it seems often to be due to fright. Why do I suspect fright? Because so commonly the persons die with the first few whiffs of the anesthetic, before enough was given in which I have seen a few cases in which the patient died even before the anesthetic was started. In most such cases the patient has gone to the operating room with the conviction that he or she was going to die.

A common assumption is that a woman can determine the sex of her child by doing something or other, such as always using her left or her right side. This is silly, because the sex of her baby was largely determined at the moment of conception, and irreparably determined by the development of the infant's sexual organs.

This may well have been determined before the woman even was sure that she was pregnant. The persons who tell us what to do to get a boy or a girl are abysmally

ignorant of how the embryo develops in the mother's womb.

A common belief, held strongly by many thousands of persons, is that man was meant to live on vegetables, fruits, nuts and salads. Actually, almost all of the savages known to explorers are primarily meat or fish-eaters. To begin with, man was a hunter or a fisherman; after many thousands of years he became a herdsman, and only in comparatively recent times did he learn to scratch the surface of the earth and to plant some type of grain.

A glance at the digestive tract of a man, as compared with that of a cow or rabbit or goat, or with that of a cat or dog, will show that the Good Lord designed man with the short, simple, and strongly-walled intestine characteristic of a carnivorous type of animal.

In other words, man was designed to be a meat-eater, and most men would rather eat a steak than a salad.

Many persons fear that shaking hands will cause disease, but, actually, there is little evidence that it does. We physicians are constantly shaking hands with sick persons and I know of no evidence to show that we suffer more often from infections than other persons do.

Today many persons believe that a sure way to health is to get the skin heavily tanned by the sun. So far as I know, there is no good evidence that this is so. A person can feel much better for a vacation at the seashore, but the improvement in health is not necessarily due to the sun tan.

THE ACHONDROPLASIC DWARF

A poor mother writes from Ceylon begging for some medicine that will cause her children to grow. From her description I fear they are what we physicians call achondroplastic dwarfs. I am sorry to say I have never heard of anything to do for these unfortunate children. Their trouble results from a failure in the growth of some long bones, mainly those in the upper arm and the thigh. The body usually grows all right, and sometimes the head is a bit oversized, but the arms and legs remain too short. The word "achondroplastic" means that the cartilage or gristle at the ends of the long bones does not grow as it should.

It is a miserable trick that nature played on these children. Most of them live out their lives normally and earn their living. They can have normal children. They just have to find a job in which their short stature will not be a handicap. Fortunately, their intelligence is not affected, and many of them are good-natured and merry. These children are not midgets. Midgets are perfectly proportioned little people with normal minds.

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD

Sunshine, 1955 — 97.0 hours

Last year — 105.1 hours

Precip. to date — 5.70 inches

Last year — 9.11 inches

SYNOPSIS—Cold Pacific air

has covered the northwestern half of the province overnight and in the next 24 hours will move southward to envelop the remainder of the province. A few showers are occurring along the coast near the leading edge of this cold air, while some snow flurry activity has been reported in the interior. Snow showers are also being reported along the north coast in the cold air.

Overnight, considerable clearing is expected in most areas

and temperatures are expected to fall below freezing at nearly all points.

By tomorrow another Pacific system is expected to be nearing the coast to ensure a return once again toward milder conditions.

VICTORIA—A few clouds this afternoon and tonight. Cloudy with sunny periods Thursday. Colder, with frost, tonight. Winds southwest 15 today and light tonight and Thursday. Low-high Thursday, 38 and 42.

WEST COAST—Sunny with cloudy periods and occasional snow showers today. Cloudy Thursday, with rain beginning, northern sections toward evening. Winds northwest 15 today, becoming light tonight and southeast 15 Thursday afternoon. Low-high at Estevan Point, 38 and 42.

VANCOUVER—Cloudy today with a few showers occasionally mixed with snow near midday. A few clouds tonight. Cloudy with sunny periods Thursday.

Colder tonight. Winds light. Low-high at Vancouver, 38 and 42.

GEORGIA STRAIT—Cloudy with a few clouds this afternoon and tonight. Winds light, becoming northwest 15 by noon and light tonight. Low-high at Nanaimo, 37 and 42.

DOMINION PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE

9 A.M. FORECASTS (Valid until midnight, Thursday)

TEMPERATURES

YESTERDAY Min. Max. Precip.

VICTORIA 37 49

VICTORIA 42 46 .11

ACROSS CANADA

St. John's 10 20

Halifax 22 26 .89

Montreal 8 21 .02

Ottawa 3 23

Toronto 7 32 trace

Windsor 12 19

Regina 8 31

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Burial Service Today For Well-Known Marksman

Funeral services were held today for retired army officer and 36-year Victoria resident, Capt. W. B. McKay. He died Friday at St. Joseph's Hospital. Capt. McKay was a distinguished marksman and for several years a member of the famous Esquimalt Garrison Rifle Association. He lived at 1036 Munro.

A two-war veteran, Capt. McKay went overseas with Canadian Ordnance Corps in 1915. In the last war he was with the RCO and later RCEME. He retired in 1943.

He was a member of the United Church, United Services Institute, Catarqui Lodge and Masons in Kingston, Ontario.

He is survived by his wife Zella; two sisters, Miss M. McKay, New York, and Mrs. M. L. Wilson, Connecticut; and a brother, Dr. Charles McKay, Unionville, Ontario.



Six Months Tax Claimed Lost By Municipalities

Province \$4,000,000 Behind Says Member

A CCF MLA charged Tuesday the provincial government is beating the municipalities of B.C. out of six months sales tax and motor vehicle license payments.

William Moore (CCF, Comox) said the municipalities got their last cheques in December for their share of the two taxes, "and that only brought them up to the end of September."

"They will get no further cheques," Moore stated, after prodding Premier Bennett to issue a clarifying statement on the "missing six months payments."

"I can't find it anywhere in the accounts," he said, "so the money must have gone into revenue surplus, and we'll see it again next year."

STOPPED JAN. 1

The Comox member said over \$4,000,000 is involved. Payments to municipalities of the sales tax and motor vehicle revenue will be stopped retroactive to Jan. 1, because of the government's new school grants formula.

Moore said the government's failure to give the money to the municipalities and cities (in the nature of a bonus) "is nothing to brag about—when they so badly need it."

He suggested "it would be a wonderful gesture if the government would use this money to set up a revolving loan fund for municipalities for approved public utilities."

Mr. Moore said such a fund, "where the municipalities could borrow money at 1 or 2 per cent interest rates," would be a needed shot in the arm.

Washington Bars To Be Open 'Til 2 a.m. Sunday

OLYMPIA, Wash. (AP)—Liberalized liquor legislation was approved by the Washington State House Tuesday while the senate was slapping down a slot machine proposal.

The liquor bill, which squeezed through the House 52-43, would allow taverns and cocktail bars to remain open until 2 a.m. Sunday mornings. The slot machine measure, a proposed constitutional amendment to remove the present ban against slots and bingo, fell seven votes short of the required two-thirds majority when 24 senators voted for it, 21 against it.

The late closing hour for taverns and bars drew support from both parties in the House.

Rep. R. Mort Frayn, Seattle Republican, said it was requested by members of the state liquor control board and law enforcement agencies to aid in the enforcement problem.

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SOCRED MEMBER RIPS GOVERNMENT

Price Says Bonner Misinformed; Demands Action on Low-Cost Housing, Other Issues

Social Credit MLA Bert Price, Vancouver-Burrard, maintained his reputation as an independent thinker Tuesday and bluntly told the government what he wants it to do.

At one point in his speech, Price said Attorney-General Bonner was "misinformed," and on a dozen diverse subjects he criticized the government as though he were sitting on the opposition benches.

The Vancouver member demanded government action on low-cost housing. "I know the province hasn't the money with which to build houses," he said, "but it should work out some self-liquidating scheme."

Price said many parts of his constituency are becoming slums, with people living in houses over 40 years old.

PRISONERS IDLE

Attorney-General Bonner he said was "misinformed" when he said all of the prisoners at Oakalla prison farm are being put to work. Price said "this is not so."

"It's a shame the public should keep these prisoners in idleness, I have watched them on the playground at Oakalla, three shifts a day every day of the week."

Price called for action to put the prisoners to work, to make them pay their own way, and put the prisons on a self-sustaining basis.

He asked for aid in maintaining Vancouver's arterial highways, and said the connecting arterials should be made part of the Trans-Canada highway system.

The government member criticized the Public Utilities Commission for "their strange way of doing business." He said the commission approved changes in bus seating arrangements in Vancouver without consulting the Vancouver city council.

BILL IGNORED

Price also recommended government action to accelerate implementation of a bill passed at the last session to regulate natural gas appliances. He said the act has been in force for one year, and that as yet not one safety device has been approved.

He asked the government to

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LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Ross Ingram, 1798 Lee Avenue, reported to city police Monday overnight theft of a blanket, camera, flashlight and personal papers from his auto while parked outside the premises.

Theft of an aerial from a vehicle owned by G. E. Roberts, 1977 Fairfield, was also reported.

Fine of \$50 and \$6.50 costs or 15 days in jail was imposed on Gary W. Mickelson, 18, of Langford, when he pleaded guilty Monday in Colwood RCMP court to a charge of creating a disturbance in a public place.

Colwood RCMP said the charge arose from a fracas in a cafe Sunday.

St. Alban's Men's Social Club meets at St. Alban's Hall Thursday at 8 p.m.

A half-dozen boys 10 to 15 years old are needed by Victoria

Optimist Club to enroll in its oratorical class, the club announced Tuesday.

Interested young public speakers may contact H. Binny, 2041 Oak Bay Avenue (2-5351) for application.

New Governor Named

LONDON (BUP)—Lt. Gen. Sir Harold Redman, vice chief of the imperial general staff, has been appointed governor of Gibraltar.

The announcement said he will take over the post shortly when Gen. Sir Gordon MacMillan retires.

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Indians Attend Duncan Council

Proposed Land Sale Discussed; City Seeking New Home Sites

DUNCAN—For the first time in the history of Duncan—and possibly in the history of British Columbia—an Indian council met with the city council Tuesday evening.

This unique, history-making "pow-wow"—where the "pipe of peace" was in evidence, though without the smoke, for smoking is prohibited in the new city hall chambers—was called by the city council.

The meeting was called for the city council to discuss with their Indian counterparts the purchase of 47 acres of Indian reserve land for the expansion of Duncan.

Led by Chief Stan Modeste, five members of the council of the Cowichan Band were welcomed by Mayor J. C. Wragg, aldermen and B. W. W. Cocks, president of the Duncan Chamber of Commerce.

Chief Modeste was accorded

a place of honor, sitting on the mayors left on the dais, while the rest of the council occupied chairs at the rear of the chamber.

The land the city council wants the Indians to sell is owned by Cowichan Indian Charlie Williams. It was explained by Duncan Indian agent, G. Boyes, to the council that before Williams could sell he would have to have permission from the rest of the band.

He said that the Indian council was present to hear what the council's proposition was, but would not be able to give a definite answer because a vote would have to be taken among the rest of the band.

Owner's Title Not Absolute

Mr. Boys further explained that an Indian did not have absolute title to his own land. He could dispose of it to a member of his own band, but not to an outsider without first securing the permission of the band.

"We understand Williams will be open to an offer, but he must have the consent of the band before closing the deal. I would suggest that you do not attempt to bargain but make the best offer. I do not think you will get the Indians to go back to the band a second time," Mr. Boys said.

Mayor Wragg said that Williams had intimated that he would sell part of his land as a hospital site. It had been de-

cided not to build a hospital so the city council thought the site would be ideal for new homes. He said that at the present time the city was not in a position to make an offer for the land, for the government would pay for the land, and it was under a governmental scheme that a housing development would take place. Mayor Wragg suggested that if the band did not want to sell the whole property, the city council would consider buying half of the property.

Mr. Cocks pointed out that the city had to expand, and as only Indian land was available, that was the only choice of the city council.

No Profiteering on Transaction

If Duncan did not expand with other cities it would "remain a dwarf," said Ald. Jack Dobson in supporting the city's case.

"Duncan is short of good building lots," said Ald. George Highmore, "and the Indian land would make an attractive part of the city."

Mr. Cocks told the Indian council that it need not be afraid if Williams' land was sold to the city it would be used for profit. The lots would be sold for exactly what the government paid for them, he said.

It was suggested that perhaps the land could be exchanged for other property. Mr. Boys replied that he doubted if this would interest the Indians "for today they would rather work for wages than follow agriculture."

Peter Prest, who works for a Duncan real estate firm, told the two councils that the total value of the land when appraised last year by himself amounted to \$38,500.

Mr. Boys said that the Indian council would return to the band and ascertain if the members wanted to sanction the selling of the land. If so, then a plebiscite would be held under the supervision of the Indian department, he said.

Mayor Wragg told the Indian agent that he wished to have a letter from Williams confirming that he would like to have the land and that the city council would meet with the government to discuss the matter. Before leaving the city hall Chief Modeste signed the visitors' book.



GARTH GRIFFITHS



J. NORMAN OLSEN

Victoria Man Named BCPC Chief Engineer

Appointment of Garth Griffiths of Victoria to the newly-created post of assistant to the general manager and chief engineer has been announced by the B.C. Power Commission.

The position of distribution superintendent now held by Mr. Griffiths will be filled by J. Norman Olsen, presently manager of the Comox Valley and Campbell River power districts. Both appointments will become effective March 1.

Mr. Griffiths will work with H. L. Briggs, formerly general manager of the City of Winnipeg hydro system, who became the commissioner's first general manager at the beginning of this month.

An honors electrical engineering graduate from the University of British Columbia in 1941, Mr. Griffiths joined the power commission in 1946 following wartime army service. Prior to attending university, he taught school in B.C. for six years.

He has held the positions of power district supervisor, assistant to interior region superintendent, coastal region superintendent, deputy chief engineer and distribution superintendent. Mr. Olsen, originally from Vancouver, came to the commission in 1946 as a student engineer after graduating in elec-

trical engineering from the University of British Columbia. His first managerial post was at Alert Bay, after which he was regional electrical engineer at Nanaimo. After serving as assistant manager at Port Alberni he moved to his present position as manager of the Comox Valley and Campbell River districts. He now resides in Courtenay, but will move to Victoria to take over the new appointment.

Both men are registered professional engineers.

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ISLAND DIGEST

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Former Dairyman Reviews Problems

SOOKE—John Martin, a director of the Sooke-Jordan River Chamber of Commerce, presented a most interesting talk on milk at the chamber's regular meeting held in Jordan River.

Mr. Martin, until recently a dairy farmer himself, highlighted the problems and hazards of the industry in reviewing the flow of milk from primary producer to ultimate consumer.

It was announced by the secretary that, as a result of representations made by the chamber, a gravelled sidewalk is being built on the Sooke Road between the elementary school and Otter Point Road.

Two past presidents of the chamber, Jack Elliott and George Oliver, will attend the no-host luncheon to be held in the Union Club, Victoria, Tuesday, when representatives of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of Vancouver Island will meet informally with Public Works Minister P. A. Gagliardi.

Mr. Elliott is vice-president of the ACCVI and Mr. Oliver is a member of the roads committee. It is expected that a road program for Vancouver Island will be the main topic for discussion.

BREEDING HERD FORMED

Black Sheep Rule Roost At Koksilah Indian Farm

DUNCAN—Black sheep are coming into their own on the Koksilah farm of Mrs. Patrick Charlie, one of the best known of the Indian women in this district who knit the famous Cowichan Indian sweater.

With the help of her daughter, Margaret Rose Charlie, she formed a small breeding herd of black sheep last year, and is optimistic that eventually they will breed "true."

Observers say that already the herd has produced a large number of black sheep.

Their wool will be used to provide the dark pattern in the sweaters, which the knitters claim are 100 per cent color fast.

This experiment marks the first time that an effort has been made to produce the black strain deliberately. In the ordinary herd, where there is no demand for the dark wool, the black sheep's only use is as a counter—one black to 100 white sheep.

Mrs. Charlie is well known as the woman who knitted sweaters for Prime Minister St.

Laurent, President Truman, Viscount Alexander, and Bing Crosby.

Her daughter is well known on Vancouver Island as the feminine lead in the Indian folk opera "Tzinquaw," written by Frank Morrison of Duncan.

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Adult, Youth Sentenced For Guitar Theft

Lake Cowichan Studio Entered

DUNCAN—Raymond Joseph Cyr was sentenced to six months definite and 18 months indefinite Tuesday in police court here when convicted of breaking and entering Lake Music Studios, Lake Cowichan, and stealing an electric guitar valued at \$320.

Also implicated in the theft was a juvenile who was fined \$25 by Magistrate W. H. Bryant and placed on probation for two years under supervision of the probation officer.

Cyr first appeared before Magistrate Bryant Monday and was remanded until Tuesday when he pleaded not guilty to the charge. RCMP requested an eight-day adjournment to prepare their case, but later in the morning the accused changed his plea to guilty.

Police stated that Cyr and the juvenile obtained entry into the Lake Music Studios at 12.30 a.m., Feb. 9, by cutting the plate-glass show-window with a glass cutter, then smashing the window.

Woman Injured In Rock Blast At Nanaimo

NANAIMO (CP)—One woman was injured, a large department store display window was smashed, and several cars were damaged Tuesday by a rock-blasting explosion in a downtown excavation.

Mrs. Phyllis Campbell, of Ladysmith, was given emergency treatment in hospital but details of her injuries were not immediately disclosed. A plate-glass window in the T. Eaton Co. store on Victoria Crescent was shattered by the blast set off in an excavation behind a bank on the corner of Albert Street and Cavan Street. Parked cars nearby were damaged by flying rocks.

UBC Traveling Art Exhibit Will Tour Vancouver Island

A traveling art exhibit, prepared by the UBC Department of Extension and on tour since October, is scheduled to reach Vancouver Island within two weeks.

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Just a few of the artists whose work will be represented are Mantegna, Michelangelo, Filian, Tintoretto, Rubens,

Rembrandt, Blake, Renoir, Cezanne and Picasso. The show will be at Kelsey Bay from Feb. 28 to March 4. Other appearances will be as follows: Courtenay, March 7-11; Qualicum, March 14-April 1, and Sidney, April 4-10.

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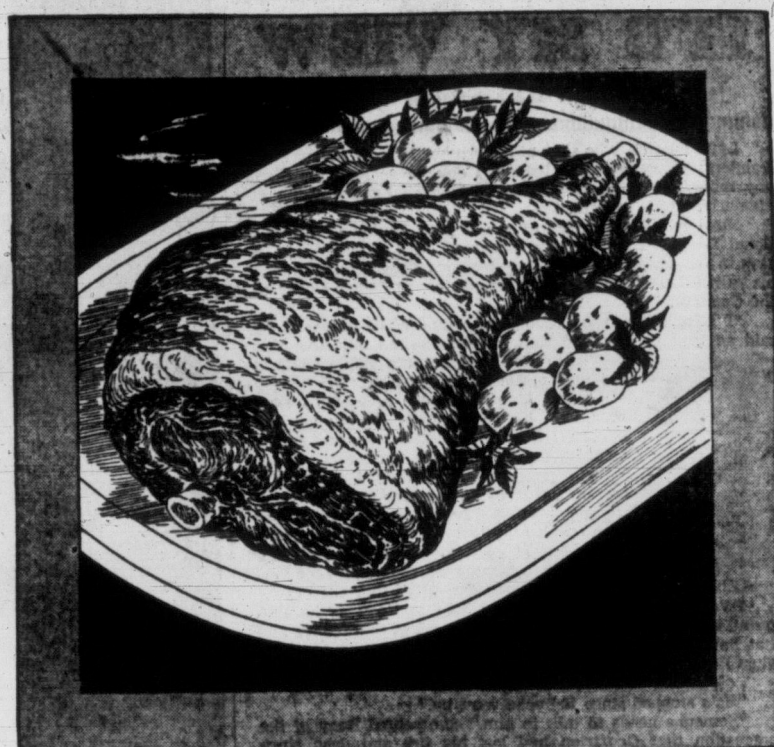
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IT'S MY VIEW

By BILL WALKER, Sports Editor

Lynn Patrick, who says of his brother Murray's New York Rangers: "They're so far behind, I don't even look for them any more," sees his first Western Hockey League game at Memorial Arena tonight.

Now general manager of the Boston Bruins of the National League, Lynn is here primarily on a scouting trip, it says in the script. He is also renewing family acquaintances, his father Lester, in case you haven't heard, being owner of the Cougars.

"I have heard good reports of some WHL players," he said as he also admitted that Boston's prime objective this year is to knock off Toronto Maple Leafs in the NHL battle for third place.

"Only Montreal holds a season's edge over us," he confided as he studied the latest WHL scoring statistics, several names being underlined in black ink.

No personalities mentioned, Lynn did let slip the fact "I haven't even seen Heberton play" while engaging in lively chit-chat with coach Billy Reay of the Cougars about some of Reay's old buddies in the east, and the particular value of the ability of certain NHL performers in getting the draw.

"We used to mark you," Lynn said to Reay as he suggested that the Cougar coach had few peers in this regard and that Bernie Geoffrion was the pay-off guy they had to watch when Reay was in the circle in the Boston end.

Speaking of Geoffrion, Lynn said:

"He's stopped since Bellevue went by."

"Someone needs to talk to him," commented Reay of the suggestion that Geoffrion had lost his fire and dash since being passed by Bellevue in the NHL scoring race.

Kennedy—in Class by Himself

"Who's the best now at getting the draw?" someone asked. "Kennedy," answered Lynn. "He's in a class by himself," he asserted of the Toronto centre ace, Ted Kennedy.

Lynn also had a few remarks concerning rookies, claiming that Boston's Don McKenney is the best of the lot, and the player with the most promise. However, Lynn stated that McKenney couldn't win the Calder Trophy this season because Eddie Litzenberger of the Chicago Black Hawks had too big a jump in the first-half poll.

"McKenney is going to be great," he added. "Litzenberger is good, but not that good."

The subject of television also entered the conversation. And Lynn holds with the opinion, often expressed here, that television itself hurts attendance at sports events; but that television of the sports event itself can only benefit the sport.

"If they must watch television, let them watch the sport," he commented. "You get more new fans through that medium."

Incidentally, the Bruins do not televise their home games, not because they wouldn't like to, but because of the shortage of stations in the Boston area.

"Why should he worry?" Cougar general manager Fred Hutchinson said afterwards. "His gate is up this year."

Compliments for an Ex-Cougar

Kind words, too, came from the former city athletic great for an ex-member of the Victoria Cougars.

Ross Lowe, according to Lynn, is a sure fire bet to enter the NHL next year and provide Eddie Shore, who plucked him out of the draft last year, with a neat bundle of cash. "I saw Lowe play a while ago," said Lynn, "and he looked good."

"That's what we told Muzz (Murray Patrick) last year, that Lowe could play in the NHL," said Reay following Lynn's departure, but not before Lynn remarked of brother Murray's outlook on life. His Rangers being what they are:

"The Rangers may not be going so good, but Muzz says 'they're the best coached team in the league.' What a guy?"

Marciano's Nose Passes Split Test

GROSSINGER, N.Y. (AP)—Convinced he is ready to defend his crown, Marciano still carries a mark on the left side of his nose down to the tip as a result of his last fight, an eight-round knockout of Ezzard Charles last Sept. 17, when his nose was split.

Al Weil, the champion's manager, said no contracts will be signed until Feb. 24, when British promoter Jack Solomons, Cockell and his manager will be in New York to meet with Jim Norris, president of the International Boxing Club.

Marciano, 30, boxed three rounds with sparring partner Simmons of Bayonne, N.J., and

Jenkins Leads Skating Meet

VIENNA, Austria (UP)—Law student Hayes Alan Jenkins was expected to give the United States its ninth straight men's world figure skating championship today, and honey-blond Tenley Albright was expected to begin her recapture of the women's title.

The 21-year-old Jenkins of Colorado Springs, Colo., had a commanding lead over France's Alain Giletti at the start of the second half of the men's competition.

Bart Welcome, But More So When He Pares Tubby Torso

By BILL WALKER

Take the word of coach Billy Reay of the Cougars.

Barton Bradley should help the club—now but even more so when he slims his rotund torso.

Acquired from New Westminster Monday, drilled by Reay tonight, in action against the Royals tonight, Bradley faces a sweat jacket routine to go with Reay's compliments, but quick.

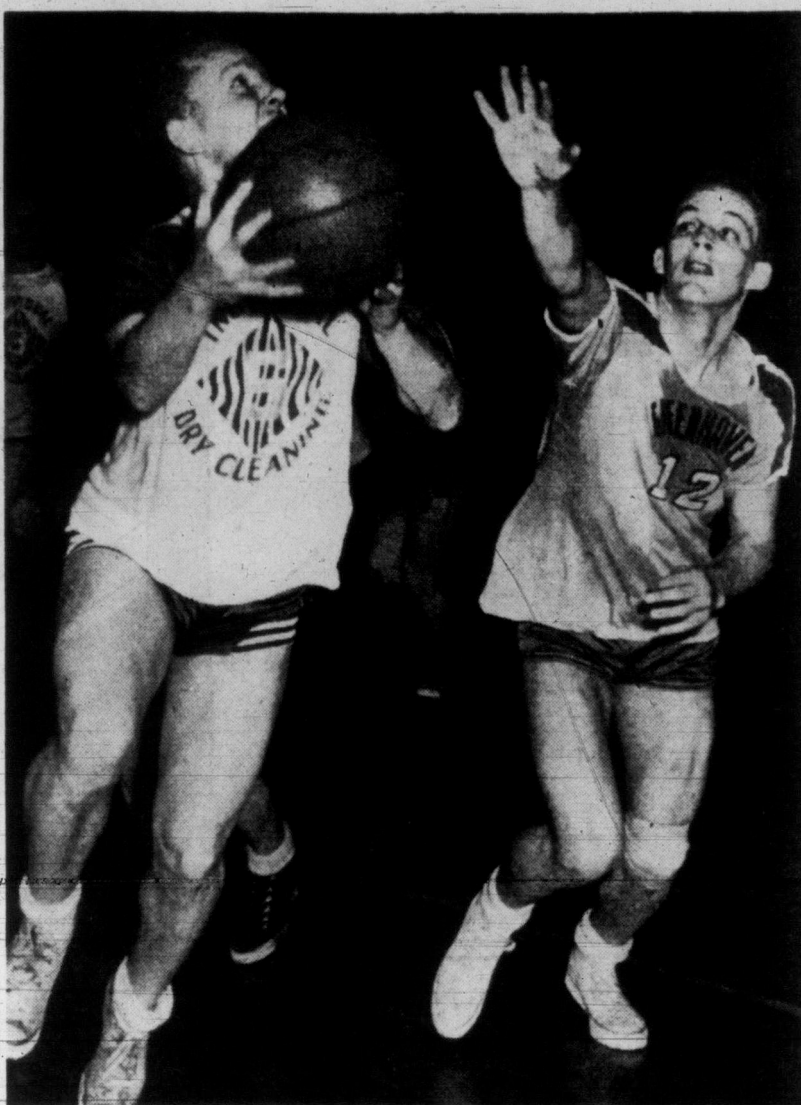
The new Cougar centre, because of limited service with the Royals this year, admits to being overweight. Reay reported Tuesday. Still, this is not uncommon, and Reay figures Bradley to be "a better hockey player than he has shown with New Westminster."

"We needed a replacement and Bradley, to my mind, fits the bill," said Reay of the club's latest acquisition.

"I will likely alternate with him at centre," Reay said of Bradley's position on the club. Bradley played both at left wing and at centre in his term with the Royals this year.

"He was a good hockey player before he got injured last year," Reay continued, "and he should be just as good again."

(Bradley's WHL record shows better than a point a game for three years, entering this season.)



Barry Tarried Just Too Long

A one-man gang in a losing cause, Victorian Barry Jackson, right, was the class of an outclassed Duncan squad Tuesday night at S. J. Willis High School gym in the final game of the lower Island senior B men's basketball playoffs. Jackson scored 15 points against the victorious Individual Cleaners but he was just too late here to prevent Lowell Hodges of Cleaners from laying up a basket. (Halkett photo.)

V's May Have to Play Without Steak Diet

Cleaners Trounce Duncan

Individual Cleaners finished picking the flesh off the bones of the Duncan team Tuesday night at S. J. Willis Junior High School, thereby winning the lower Island senior B men's basketball championship.

Having walloped Duncan, 74-23, in the first game of the two-game, total-point series last week, removing most of the punch from the series, Cleaners buried the remains Tuesday night with a 65-47 win, thus winning the series with a 69-point margin, 139-70.

Next step for Cleaners will be the Island final. Cumberland and Alberni currently are fighting it out in the upper Island to qualify as the finalist against Individuals. Winner of the Island series will then contest the B.C. Championship.

Gordie Bamford was the top scorer for Cleaners, tossing in 23 points. Don Donahue added 13 points and Jack Shields chipped in with 10. Barry Jackson, a Victorian playing for Duncan, hooped 15 points in a losing cause.

Cleaners were without three of their top stars. Norm Baker has still not been cleared by the B.C. Basketball Association; Pete Turko has returned to Vancouver and Vince Clarkson had other commitments.

Line-ups follow:

Duncan—B. McKinnon 3, J. James 13, B. Stubbs, R. Vallau 8, D. Johnston 4, W. Thorpe 6, B. Jackson 15. Total 47.

Individuals—D. Strank 3, J. Shields 12, W. Prior 10, D. Donahue 13, Davidson 8, L. Hodges 6, G. Bamford 23. Total 65.

Meanwhile, it was also learned that the Cougars, as stated in an earlier announcement in the Times, had attempted to secure the services of Eddie Kullman, who this week was signed by Vancouver Canucks.

The deal was that Victoria could dicker with Kullman if Vancouver waived a prior right. Vancouver didn't, or as general manager Fred Hutchinson said, "They were protecting themselves."

"Kullman was willing to come," added Reay.

In regard to tonight's game with New Westminster, Reay declined to prognosticate. "Pelletier, Dechene and Bower hold the key," he said of the battle that looms between the three coast clubs for a play-off spot, the aforementioned trio being the goalkeepers concerned of Cougars, Royals and Canucks, respectively.

Dechene (Lucien) will be here with the Royals tonight and he'll be facing his old mate Bradley for the first time.

But win, lose or draw, before embarking on the Cougars' three-game trip to the prairies Thursday, Bradley faces a diligent training program and as much active participation in games as he can stand, commented Reay.

In short, Bradley must shed 10 pounds before Reay calls off the pack drill.

That drill starts at 8:30 tonight.

HOCKEY SCORES

NATIONAL LEAGUE: Chicago 2, Detroit 1.

WESTERN INTERNATIONAL: Spokane 4, Kimberley 4.

Trail 3, Nelson 4, three overtime periods.

Nelson and Kimberley both lead 2-0 in best-of-five playoffs.

ATLANTIC COAST SENIOR: Fredericton 2, Charlottetown 2.

Charlottetown leads best-of-nine series 2-0.

Moncton 5, Amherst 4.

Best-of-nine series tied 1-1.

QUEBEC LEAGUE: Sherbrooke 5, Montreal 3.

Quebec 4, Sherbrooke 3.

ONTARIO SENIOR A: Windsor 3, Niagara Falls 3.

Kitchener 2, Guelph 3.

Windsor 3, Niagara Falls 3.

Kitchener 2, Guelph 3.

WINDYBAY SENIOR: Sault Ste. Marie 1, Sault Ste. Marie 1.

WINDYBAY SENIOR A: Sudbury 4, North Bay 2.

WINDYBAY SENIOR B: Sudbury 4, North Bay 2.

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Dig The Canucks —They're Digging

Royals Bow; Meet Cats Here Tonight

Canucks 10, Royals 3

Stampeders 4, Flyers 4

Vancouver Canucks are certainly going to keep other Western Hockey League clubs honest.

Refusing to be ignored in the late-season bid for playoff contention, the Canucks Tuesday night won their third straight contest to move within four points of Victoria Cougars, by whipping the New Westminster Royals at Vancouver, 10-3.

Tonight the Cougars and Royals see who is the more honest at Memorial Arena while the Canucks await another meeting with the Royals at Vancouver Friday and still another at New Westminster Saturday.

Royals are little better off than the Cougars in regard to the pressure being exerted by the Canucks. They have only six points in hand over the Canucks, two over the Cougars.

But both the Cougars and Canucks have a game in hand.

Tonight's game here could either put the Royals in second place, Calgary Stampeders having tied Edmonton Flyers, 4-4, Tuesday, or let the Cougars in for a share of third-spot while still retaining a game in hand over both Royals and Calgary.

To Vancouver, it doesn't seem to matter. Their last three wins have been over Edmonton, Victoria and, last night, the Royals.

Ray Cyr led Canucks with two goals and two assists. Billy Dea and Earl Johnson each scored two goals. Phil Maloney, John Reeve, Fred Brown and Gordon Hudson added singletons.

New Westminster Royals have allowed an average of five goals a game in the last 18 contests.

Gord Fashaway provided two of the losers' goals Tuesday night.

The other came from Mott McLean.

Calgary, who had a marked edge in offensive play all through the game, appeared to have it sewn up on a goal from Max Quackenbush at 13:34 of the final frame.

But less than a minute later, Enio Scitizzi swept a backhander past Doug Stevenson for the equalizer.

Calgary stepped out quickly and Pat Lundy had the puck in Dave Gatherum's net three and a half minutes after play started.

Sid Finny added another in the first and George Pargeter counted the third in the middle session.

Flyers' other goals came from John Bucyk in the first period, Steve Hrymka in the second, and Larry Zeidel late in the final frame.

OLSON MEETS JONES TONIGHT

CHICAGO (AP)—Middleweight champion Carl Bobo Olson, whose last defeat in 1952 was to Sugar Ray Robinson, tonight meets a man who just gave Robinson a good trouncing, Ralph Tiger Jones, in a non-title bout at the Chicago Stadium.

In fact, two of Olson's three defeats in 28 bouts since 1950 were by the once-invincible Sugar whose comeback try was turned to vinegar by Jones a month ago.

Olson is a 4 to 1 favorite in the televised 10-rounder. The 26-year-old Jones can ride to an almost certain title shot at Olson if he upsets the 160-pound king in the heavyweight bout.

WILLIE STILL AMAZES EVEN IN VENEZUELA

CARACAS, Venezuela (BUP)—Willie Mays was due to leave Venezuela today and from the standpoint of opposing pitchers, it was just as well.

Mays continued his spectacular hitting with a home run, triple and a single in three trips to the plate last night as his Puerto Rican team, which clinched the Caribbean title Monday night, lost its first game of the series, 7-2, to Venezuela.

Willie's three blows gave him a total of 10 hits in 11 trips to the plate during Puerto Rico's last three games.

EDGE CHIHAWKS

Red Wings Pass Habs

Detroit 3, Chicago 2

(By The Canadian Press)

Detroit Red Wings were back in first-place in the National Hockey League today in what may be their big drive to clinch a seventh straight league championship.

The Detroiters nudged Montreal Canadiens out of the lead Tuesday night with a 3-2 victory over the last-place Chicago Black Hawks. It gave them 73 points, one up on Canadiens with 13 games left in the 1954-55 campaign.

The Red Wings, who have made a habit of winning championships but blowing some Stanley Cups, have one thing against them, though. They have played two more games than the Montrealers and meet Canadiens in three more engagements before the playoffs.

Earl Reibel, the 24-year-old centre who is operating nicely on the top Red Wing line with Gordie Howe and Ted Lindsay, fired the winning goal by himself, 16:10 fans at Detroit Olympia with less than a minute left in the game. It was Reibel's 17th goal of the campaign.

Glen Skov tallied his 13th goal of the season at 4:24 of the second and defenseman Red Kelley got his ninth at 6:57 of the same period to round out the Detroit scoring.

Red Sullivan and Jack McIntyre scored for the Hawks, Sullivan sending them into a 1-0 lead in the first period and McIntyre deadlocking it at 2:22 in the second.

Young Most Valuable

TRAIL (BUP)—Moe Young, left winger for the Trail Smoke Eaters, has won the Howard Anderson Memorial Trophy, awarded annually by the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company in Trail to the Western International League player voted the most valuable and sportsmanlike. (Young was scheduled to join Victoria Cougars this year, but declined a contract.)

WHL SCORING

Couture, Fielder Make Gain

Gerry Couture of Calgary Stampeders and Guyle Fielder of New Westminster Royals gained a step Tuesday night in the race for the Western Hockey League scoring championship.

Edmonton Flyers' Bronco Horvath was held scoreless as his club tied 4-4 with Calgary, but he still held on to first place with his league-leading 80-point total. Horvath has 39 goals and 31 assists.

Couture picked up an assist to hold second place with 70 points, while Fielder scored two assists to hurdle Victoria's Ed Dorohoy and land in third place with 69.

Leading scorers follow:

Horvath, Edmonton 39 G, 31 A, 70 TP

Couture, Calgary 29 G, 41 A, 70

Fielder, New Westminster 28 G, 41 A, 69

R. Barshay, Victoria 23 G, 46 A, 69

McNab, N. Westminster 22 G, 47 A, 69

J. Bucyk, Edmonton 18 G, 46 A, 65

Finney, Calgary 32 G, 37 A, 64

Phibbs, N. Westminster 24 G, 40 A, 64

Rebertson, Victoria 21 G, 43 A, 64

Kobussen, Saskatoon 18 G, 46 A, 64

Ullman, Edmonton 22 G, 42 A, 64

O. Dorohoy, N. Westminster 26 G, 43 A, 64

Witlik, Victoria 21 G, 43 A, 64

Kilbuck, Victoria 21 G, 43 A, 64

Stanley, Saskatoon 24 G, 40 A, 64

Schultz, Edmonton 21 G, 43 A, 64

Scott, Calgary 13 G, 51 A, 64

Blankenship, Edmonton 13 G, 51 A, 64

McFadden, Calgary 12 G, 52 A, 64

Anderson, Victoria 15 G, 49 A, 64

Manuel, Victoria 10 G, 54 A, 64

Barry, Calgary 11 G, 53 A, 64

McLean, N. Westminster 18 G, 46 A, 64



Getting the Dope First Hand

General manager Lynn Patrick of the Boston Bruins, centre, here on a scouting trip, had assistance Tuesday as he studied a list of WHL scoring leaders with a possible eye toward recruiting.

the more promising for duty in the NHL next year. Comments were provided by Cougar coach Billy Reay, left, and Cougar general manager Fred Hutchinson, right. (Times photo.)

Zone Bowling Opens Monday

By RON COULTER

Eighteen city tenpin aces have entered the 24-game scratch Victoria zone tenpin singles championship which opens Monday night at Strathcona Bowling Alleys.

The 24 games will be rolled in six-game series in two establishments, commencing Monday night at 9.

Second round will be played Feb. 26 at Gibson's at 6:45 p.m., third at Strathcona March 5 at 6:45 p.m. and the last round at Gibson's, March 12.

Victoria titlist will compete for the British Columbia championship March 18, 19 and 20 at Vancouver. Winner of that series goes to Toronto to play for the Canadian title.

Norris Sets Week's Pace

In senior tenpin action Tuesday night Bill Norris and Henry Hawkins were the big men.

Norris pounded out games of 183, 245 and 218 for a 616 triple, while Hawkins shot singles of 237, 194 and 211 in posting a 642 total.

Veteran Ron Wilson was the third trundler to better the 600 mark with singletons of 177, 225 and 202 for a 604 triple.

Holness, 592; Dick Bowles, 589; Parsons, 581; Jack Hobbs, 579; Wilf Johnston, 578; Elmer Curtis, 572; and Palmer, 560, claimed other leading triples.

Holness, 235; Motion, 218; Curtis and Howard, 214; Lew Kamann, 212; Johnston, 211; Palmer, 206; Bowles, 205, 203.

Youth Served Well In Doncaster Victory

LONDON (CP)—It took five games, 8½ hours and 16-year-old youth to decide whether Doncaster Rovers or Aston Villa would play Birmingham City in the fifth round of the Football Association Cup competition.

SKI HEIL

City Skier Victorious At Deer Park

Victoria Sno-Birds chalked up another victory Sunday at Deer Park, Washington, during the annual Victoria Day races. The Olympic Ski Club had laid out a tricky slalom course, hoping to draw the winner from their own ranks, but Victoria's Toni Lamprecht ran the course in 42 seconds, to take first place for the second consecutive year.

Art Davies, another Victoria Sno-Bird member, came third, while Peggy Shaw and Barbara Davies placed second and third respectively in the women's slalom event. Of the six ribbon prizes awarded, Victoria Sno-Birds made off with four of them.

The winners were cheered on by a group of about 30 other Sno-Birds who made the trip. Both Saturday and Sunday Toni gave beginners and advanced skiers lessons on the Deer Park slopes. . . part of the club's regular free instruction. Those lessons are paying off in increased enthusiasm and better form on the hill.

Island championship races will be held under the Courtenay Club auspices Feb. 20 at Forbidden Plateau. Winners are invited to pick up their prizes the following weekend at the lodge, after a bean supper.

First issue of "The Stump-Jumper," Sno-Bird bulletin to members, was distributed to paid-up members last week, at no charge. It's hoped to publish three such bulletins a year. . . with everybody donating ideas, material or work! If you didn't get your copy, contact editor Bee Loughnan, or associate Barbara Davies.

Transportation for the week-end is, of course, under the thumb of Audrey Emery. Make your plans to see the races at the Plateau, then call her at 29893 for car space.

Walls to Meet Parker

TORONTO (CP)—Earl Walls of Toronto will defend his Canadian-heavyweight boxing championship against James J. Parker March 7, matchmaker Deacon Allen said Tuesday night. The bout is scheduled for 12 rounds.

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RACE RESULTS

SANTA ANITA

First Race—Pleasant (Pleasant) \$11.30 \$4.20 \$2.80
Mrs. Muriel E. (Zigzag) 2.50 2.30
Smart Stepper (Marengo) 2.50
Time, 1:25.5
Also: Naya's Day, Gramma Marsha, Oille Machree, Written Excuse, Golden Book, Say Request, Miss Rly, Spurring Rhythm, Dis Gal, Charity Date, Muff Fly.

Second Race—Bumblebee (Marengo) \$24.80 \$7.10 \$4.70
Sea Glimmer (Marengo) 2.40 2.30
Big Gert (Lumen) 2.50
Time, 1:44.3
Also: Mr. Boots, Marjorie, Vic's Gal, Appraisal, Replica III, Poles Question, Jet Black, Captain Yeh, Little Stone.

Third Race—Credit Me (Marengo) \$11.50 \$5.90 \$4.40
Brie Supply (Marengo) 7.90 5.40
Full Impact (Trejos) 3.50
Time, 1:28.1-5
Also: Bumpy Strip, Trace O'rish, Knocking Shop, Miss Rly, Red Paint, Trowbridge, Fuddy's Baby, Forsyamin, Gela Tiger.

Fourth Race—Cigarette (Schuch) \$20.10 \$4.10 \$3.00
Prize Pace (Thejas) 24.20 15.80
Cutshort (Harmata) 27.40
Time, 1:44.3
Also: Sea Phantom, Val, Concentration, Top Turf, The Man, Hutch's Polly, Lordy, Rite, Regardie, Quoin.

Fifth Race—Red Han (Shomaker) \$9.80 \$5.80 \$4.80
Flashy Vase (Tanguchi) 5.30 4.10
Romanga (Nelson) 7.70
Time, 1:21.4-5
Also: Be Vora, Black Hand, Cover Hi, Smoke Whirl, Seamus, Hookahy, Sir Abbey, Basher's Song.

Sixth Race—Hand Cakes (Haid) \$10.80 \$4.30 \$4.70
Hug-Me-That (Harmata) 15.40 8.70
Texas League (Shomaker) 4.50
Time, 1:15.3-5
Also: East Indies, Ikes Jeep, Post Chaise, Jerry Boris, Parda, Dutch Seebold, Uptrind, Hagana, Khaleji.

Seventh Race—Crystal Blue (Shomaker) \$14.40 \$5.80 \$4.40
On The Move (Neves) 3.50 2.00
Happy Mood (Londen) 2.50
Time, 1:23.2-5
Also: Jet Lady, Gomet, Felice, Khyber Queen, Track Medal, Miss Oihavsky, Darlin' Wife, Play Possum.

Eighth Race—Sunny Khal (Harmata) \$13.10 \$5.30 \$3.80
Texas Oil (Haid) 4.40 3.30
Mordigan (Boland) 2.50
Time, 1:50.1-5
Also: Pa & Q's, The Blend, Peak O'Gley, Ocean Mist, Sir Boss.

Ninth Race—Bellevue, Montreal 30 30 60
Richard, Montreal 22 24 56
Geoffrion, Montreal 29 25 54
Gimstead, Montreal 8 40 45
Montell, Montreal 21 26 47
Smith, Toronto 28 18 46
Howe, Detroit 28 22 43

NHL Leaders

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\$50,000 SUIT

Football Pot Boils Again

WASHINGTON (UP)—The Washington Redskins filed a \$50,000 damage suit today against Jack Hennemer, coach of the Calgary Stampede, who signed two Redskins linemen to Canadian contracts.

Banff Bids For Ski Meet

BANFF, Alta. (CP)—A bid to hold the 1958 world championship ski meet at this Rocky Mountain resort was revealed Tuesday.

At a special meeting during the week-end ski association's representatives, town businessmen, provincial and federal government officials discussed the proposal.

Dave Spence, president of the western Canada Ski Association, said the bid for the championship was made last fall through W. S. Clark of Ottawa, president of the Canadian Ski Association, to the Federation of International Skiers, the world's largest ski organization.

Lower Island Junior and Juvenile Football Association schedule for the week-end follows:

SATURDAY
1 p.m.—Division V, Eagles vs. Com-
munity Vikings, Queen's Avenue, Division
IV, Canadian Scottish vs. Combines, at
Beacon Hill (Lower Island knockout);
Division III, Eagles vs. Canadian Scot-
tish, at Lansdowne Park (AFCU).

SUNDAY
1 p.m.—Division II, Eagles vs. Army,
Navy, Air Force Vets, at Windsor Park
(league).
2 p.m.—Division I, Mic Macs vs.
8th Regiment, at Windsor Park
(league).
Eagles receive a bye.

Turpin Returns
BIRMINGHAM, Eng. (AP)—Randy Turpin, former world middleweight champion, returned to the ring Tuesday after a nine-month layoff and won in eight rounds when Ray Schmitt, Luxembourg's lightweight champion, was disqualified for holding.

Giardello Wins
MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP)—Joe Giardello, 161½, of Philadelphia, stopped Andy Mayfield, 158½, Miami, in the eighth round of a scheduled 10-rounder in the Auditorium Tuesday night.

Fund Drive to Aid UBC Henley Trip
VANCOUVER (BUP)—University of B.C. and Vancouver Rowing Club officials have laid the groundwork for a campaign to raise \$20,000 to send Vancouver's British Empire Games' champion rowing team to the annual Henley regatta in England.

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CANADIANS RETAIN TITLE

VIENNA (CP)—Canada's Frances Dafee and Norris Bowden swept to their second straight world pairs figure-skating championship Tuesday night with a dazzling performance that thrilled a capacity audience.

Miss Dafee and Bowden, who have been skating together for six years, showed a sellout crowd of 6,500 Viennese they are considered the best combination in the world.

Mantle Signs For \$25,000
NEW YORK (AP)—Mickey Mantle, New York Yankees' golden boy who has failed to reach the potential predicted for him, has agreed to 1955 base-ball terms, thus helping reduce the weighty list of unsigned players.

Mantle was quick to put his signature on a contract after receiving a reported raise bringing his year's salary to around \$25,000. The young center-fielder's earnings last year were put at about \$21,000 or \$22,000.

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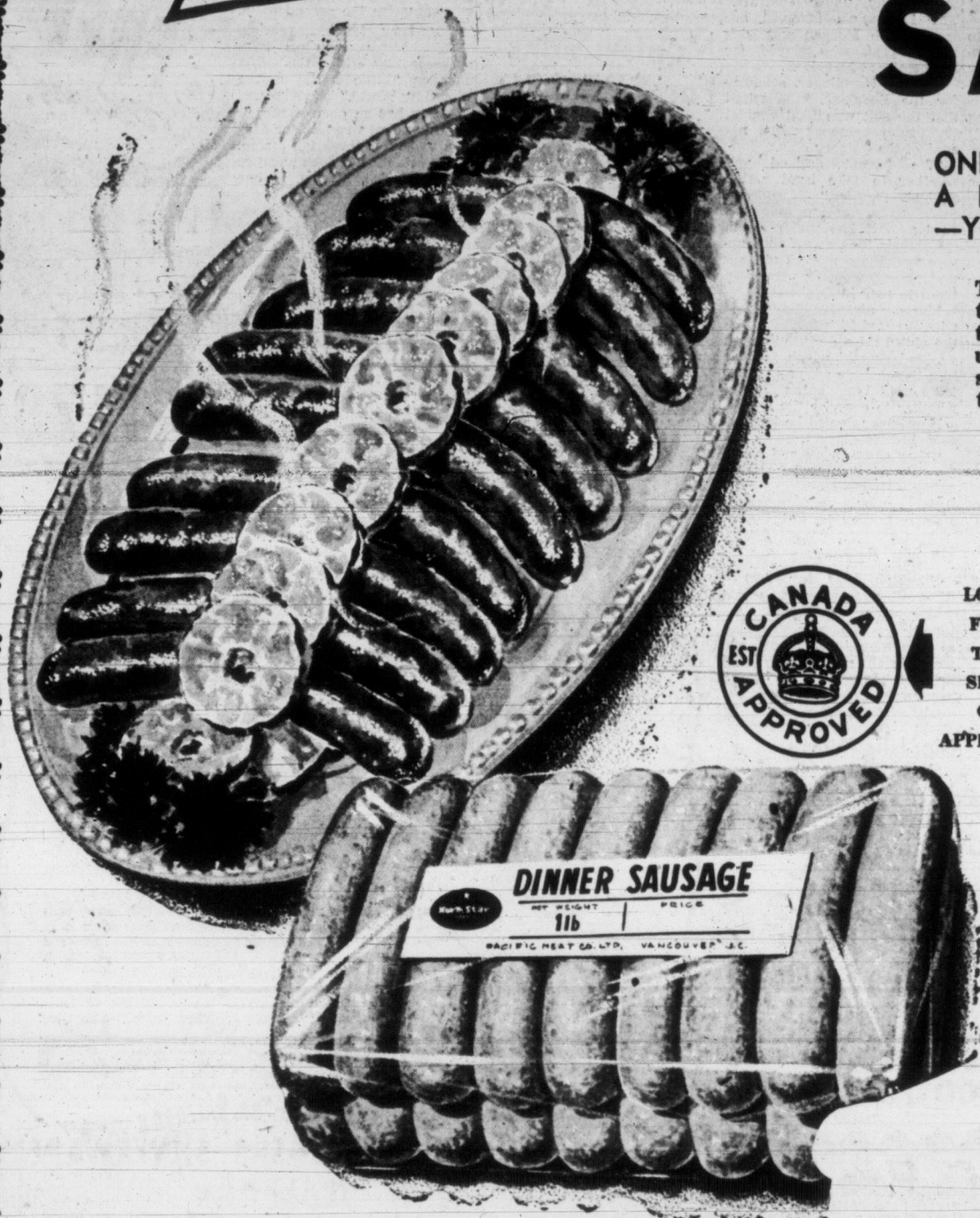
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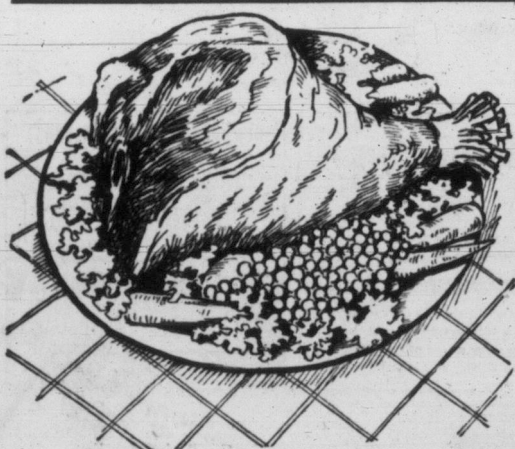
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Orange Juice	Libby's, 48-oz. tin.	35¢
Pineapple Juice	Libby's, 48-oz. tin.	35¢
Tomato Juice	Libby's, 15-oz. tins.	2 for 25¢
Lemon Juice	Sunkist, 6-oz. tins.	2 for 27¢

Canned Vegetables

Asparagus Cuttings	Aylmer, 12-oz. tin.	24¢
Beans	Nabob, Cut Green, 15-oz. tins.	2 for 39¢
Corn	Royal City, Cream Style, 15-oz. tins.	2 for 35¢
Peas	Nabob, Fancy, No. 4, 15-oz. tin.	17¢
Peas	Lynn Valley, No. 5, 15-oz. tins.	2 for 25¢
Tomatoes	Nabob, Choice, 28-oz. tin.	28¢
Tomato Paste	Hunt's, 6-oz. tin.	11¢

Canned Fruits

Fruit Cocktail	Aylmer, Fancy, 15-oz. tin.	25¢
Pears	Nabob, Fancy, Bartlett, 15-oz. tin.	26¢
Peaches	Nabob, Fancy, Halves, 15-oz. tin.	24¢
Pineapple	Q.T.F., Australian, Sliced, 15-oz. tins.	2 for 49¢
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GOLDEN SYRUP Rogers', 5-lb. tin **65^c**
WAFFLE SYRUP Nabob, 22-oz. bottle **27^c**
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Salmon Cloverleaf, Sockeye, ½-lb. tin **41^c**
Tuna Nabob, White Meat, 7-oz. tin **37^c**
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Meat Balls Puritan, 16-oz. tin **39^c**
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TODAY'S MARKET SUMMARIES

Gold Shares Jump In Last-Hour Rally

Some gold shares jumped in late market trading at Toronto, giving the market a thoroughly irregular close.

McIntyre climbed \$1.25 and Teck-Hughes 40 cents. Industrials also gained but base metals and western oils eased narrowly.

Utilities, steels, foods and financial institutions were strong and about 10 issues climbed \$1 or more.

Higher were St. Lawrence Corp., Canada Steamship, Federal Grain, Canadian Dredge, Algoma and Burns B. General Dynamics fell \$7 to \$118.

Western oil drops were almost all 15 cents or less. Commonwealth and General Petroleum countered the lower trend with 20 and 40-cent climbs.

Uranium losses outnumbered gains six to one. Gunnar, off 37 1/2 cents to \$14.87 1/2, and the warrants down 50 cents to \$7.75 led the decline.

The lesson of industrial history, he added, "is that power, authority, long-run prosperity and the highest standards of living go to the nations that can effectively make the end products that consumers can use, not the hewers of wood and drawers of water."

Canada's population was already greater than could be supported by extractive industries alone and, by sheer force of numbers, she must seek increasing manufacturing industrialization.

Co-operation in this was required from government and education as well as from management, labor, agriculture, especially in these beginning years.

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STOCK REPORTS

By DAVID STOCK
Times Business Editor

Lower Dollar Exchange Boon to Export Traders

Some important things are happening to Canadian money these days.

For one, the exchange value of the Canadian dollar in relation to the U.S. dollar has dropped by about one full cent in the last month.

For another, the Bank of Canada this week cut its interest rate on loans to chartered banks for the first time in 11 years.

The reason behind these changes and the likely effects are many and somewhat complicated. But let's just scratch at the surface a bit.

At New York today, the Canadian dollar was worth \$1.02 1/4 in U.S. currency. A month ago, the same dollar would have fetched \$1.03 9/16.

The federal government's "easy money" policy, together with the use of huge monetary reserves, seem to be the two biggest factors bringing this about.

Remember when our dollar was docked 10 per cent when you changed it for American currency? Well, in those days the rate of exchange was fixed.

In 1950, the Canadian government decided to drop its strict control and let the dollar find its own level.

In less than two years' time the Canadian dollar climbed above par with the U.S. dollar. And it has remained on the high side ever since.

Many Canadians—especially those who make occasional shopping trips across the border—like the present situation. But manufacturers who rely heavily on exporting to the U.S. don't like it one bit. It puts them at a disadvantage price-wise when competing American firms.

These exporters are hoping the exchange rate will drop still further. The more it drops, the more business they expect to do in the States.

The Bank of Canada's action Monday in reducing its interest rate on loans to chartered banks by one-half per cent (from 2 to 1 1/2) may provide some further decline.

When U.S. interest rates were a little lower than those in Canada, a great many Canadian corporations and governments went to the States to borrow.

Jellet to Quit Royal Trust Post

MONTREAL (CP)—Retirement of Robert P. Jellet, 73, as chairman of the board of Royal Trust Co. will be announced Thursday at the annual general meeting. He will be named honorary president, the company said Tuesday.

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No Retail Outlet Planned by Firm

A. B. Parker, managing director of Victoria Bed & Mattress Co. Ltd. and Parker's Manufacturing Co. Ltd. today quashed reports that the firm might establish a retail outlet when they move to their new location at 1202 Wharf Street.

"We have no plans whatever for getting into the retail trade," Mr. Parker said.

Mr. Parker, who earlier declined comment on plans of the two companies, today acknowledged the move from the present Topaz Avenue location was under way.

"It has been planned to facilitate manufacturing under better conditions," he said.

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Balance Mutual	Bid	Asked
Can. Invest. Fund	475	522
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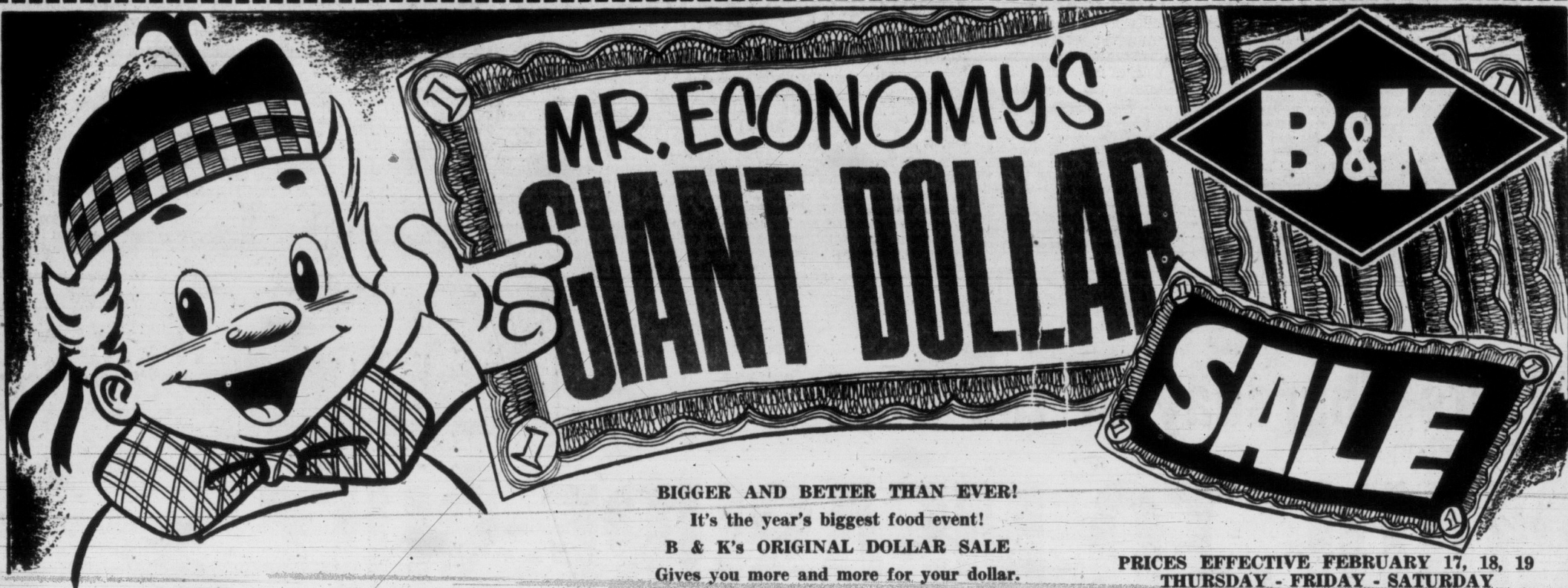
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SUN RYPE BRAND, BLUE LABEL, 7-oz. carton... **7 for 1.00**

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SESQUI BRAND, carton of 12... **5 for 1.00**

TOMATO JUICE
FANCY QUALITY, LIBBY'S, 48-oz. tin... **3 for 1.00**

KRAFT DINNER
HANDY-QUICK ECONOMICAL LUNCH... **7 for 1.00**

LARD
NORTH STAR, 1-lb. packet... **5 for 1.00**

FROZEN PEAS
FROZO BRAND, 12-oz. carton... **6 for 1.00**

FRUIT COCKTAIL
AYLMER FANCY QUALITY, 15-oz. tin... **4 for 1.00**

AYLMER SOUP
TOMATO or VEGETABLE, 10-oz. tin... **8 for 1.00**
SAVE YOUR LABELS FOR AYLME "FIFTY-A-DAY" RADIO PROGRAM

BURNS' SPOOF
"A Cooked Beef Specialty" for Lunches or Cold Plates, 12-oz. tin... **3 for 1.00**

FROZEN ORANGE JUICE
ALBATROSS BRAND, 6-oz. tin... **6 for 1.00**

"ECONOMY TRIMMED MEATS"

- ★ **STANDING PRIME RIB** Roast of Beef, Grade "A", lb. **65c**
- ★ **ROUND STEAK** or Roast, Grade "A", lb. **69c**

RUMP ROAST First and second cuts, GRADE A BEEF, lb. **65c**

FRESH PORK PICNIC SHOULDER, Whole or Shank End, lb. **29c**

FRESH, LEAN Minced Beef Grade A, lb. **42c**

PICTURE PACK, RINDLESS Side Bacon 1/2-lb. pkt. **29c**

Dinner Sausage 1-lb. Cello pkt. **45c**

PORK ROLLS Midget size, Smoked Loin, lb. **59c**

YOUR BEST BEEF BUY IS AT B&K!

★ **APPLES** Okanagan, C Grade, Newtowns... **5 lbs. 59c**

★ **ORANGES** Sweet, Juicy Navels Cello Bag... **5 lbs. 59c**

POTATOES
"MALCO MAC" White-Dry Cookers... **10 lb. bag 55c**

BROCCOLI
Imported, Now at season's best... **lb. 28c**

TURNIPS Sweet Cooking, Imported... **2 lbs. 11c**

ONIONS Hard, Dry, Okanagan... **2 lbs. 15c**

CARROTS Topped, California... **2 lbs. 23c**

"ROBIN HOOD" FLOUR All-Purpose... **10-lb. bag 67c**

MARGARINE SOLO BRAND... **2 lbs. 59c**

NALLEY'S LUMBERJACK SYRUP 32-oz. bottle... **39c**

Tot Froze to Death Within Yards of Help

MONTREAL (BUP)—An autopsy was ordered today to confirm detectives' belief that a two-year-old boy whose frozen body was found here Tuesday after a two-day search died accidentally.

Detective Lieut. Guy Francoeur said the absence of marks of violence on the body of little Richard Guibeau and a single set of footprints in deep snow in the field where his body was found indicated he collapsed and died of exposure.

One of the biggest searches in Montreal's history, at times involving up to 1,000 police and volunteers, turned up the blond boy's body in a field in the northeast section of Montreal.

Police said Richard, who disappeared from the front of his parents' pet shop Monday afternoon, apparently decided to go for a walk and got lost.

He was believed to have plodded through a half-mile of snow set in places reached up to his field where his body was found before he collapsed and died of exposure.

as searchers looked for him a few hundred yards away.

'TAKE OFF THAT PARKA'

SITTINGBOURNE, England. (AP)—The Women's Sewing Circle of Holy Trinity Church reported today it has made a batch of 20 nightshirts for Eskimos.

Rt. Rev. Donald Marsh, Anglican Bishop of the Arctic, gave the ladies the word that the Eskimos need something other than furs and skins to sleep in when they get hospital treatment.

The first 20 nightshirts now are en route to Aklavik, in the Canadian Northwest Territories.

Presbyterian Hits RC Church Claims it Aids Reds, Fascists

OTTAWA (BUP) — Lands dominated by the Roman Catholic church have been the best breeding grounds for Communism and totalitarianism, Dr. John A. Mackay, president of the World Presbyterian Alliance, said Tuesday night.

Speaking before the North American area council of Reformed Churches holding the Presbyterian order, Dr. Mackay took sharp issue with United States Vice-President Richard Nixon.

He told the group he had to disagree with Nixon's recent statement that Catholicism was a major bulwark against Communism and totalitarianism.

"I am compelled sorrowfully to say that the exact opposite is true," Dr. Mackay said.

"The Roman Catholic church made concordats with the totalitarian rulers of Italy and Germany," he said. "Today the Roman Catholic church has a concordat with and is the chief supporter of Francisco Franco, the totalitarian ruler of Spain and the most hated man in Spanish history."

"It is also a painful fact that those Latin countries where the Roman Catholic church has been the predominant religious influence have been breeding grounds for Communism."

"This is true of Italy; it is particularly true of lands in Latin America."

Dr. Mackay said the Roman Catholic hierarchy had shown "consistent antipathy toward reform measures in such countries, for example, as Guatemala and Colombia."

VANCOUVER HOME OWNERS FACE 3-MILL TAX BOOST

VANCOUVER (CP)—Despite a \$500,000 school surplus, Vancouver property owners may have a two-to-three-mill tax boost in their 1955 bills.

The gloomy forecast came Tuesday from civic finance experts as city hall officials launched a budget-slashing drive.

Cost cutting began in the face of an estimated operating loss of nearly \$2,500,000 on the basis of first estimates of expenditures and revenue.

The school board reported a surplus of nearly \$500,000, but the experts said this will not save off a general tax boost.

The city will receive an additional \$2,000,000 in provincial revenue this year, but authorities warned it will only meet increased school costs. It will not help the general operating budget.

Starts Thursday at the Bay!

MADE-TO-MEASURE SUIT

Sale



How many times, after seeing a distinguished-looking person, have you wished you could afford a suit that would fit like his? Well, NOW YOU CAN! For less than the price of an ordinary "off-the-rack" model, you can be measured by our experts for an impeccably tailored suit, made to fit YOU Perfectly!

How many times have you wished you could afford a perfect-fitting suit? Especially after you've been looking through racks of handsome suits . . . and couldn't find one that really fitted the way it should? Fine for the "average" guy . . . but what if you're built like a string bean or have shoulders like a football hero? NOW you can indulge that secret yen for a perfect-fitting suit . . . and it will cost you LESS than that "off-the-rack" model!

HOW COME THE LOW PRICE? —We were able to buy some of the finest all-wool fabrics at special clearance prices . . . and this is the tailors' slow season . . . so we can offer MADE-TO-MEASURE suits now at a better-than-ever low price!

Choose one of the distinguished all-wool fabrics —Smooth, silky flannel or a smooth-finished yarn-dyed worsted . . . both will tailor beautifully and keep their well-pressed neatness longer than ordinary suit fabrics.

Select a new deep-tone color —And be right in fashion with a suit in muted, charcoal shades or intermediate tones. Choose a brown, blue or grey (very handsome highlighted with new-tone shirts, ties). Many new splash weaves, pin stripes and conservative plain patterns.

You'll recognize the latest cut and styles! —Have your perfect-fitting suit tailored in the slimming, slenderizing new "natural" silhouette that is the ultimate in correct styling. Both double and single-breasted styles feature the straight hanging jacket, narrow, long roll lapels, and the more natural shoulder line that does so much to make you appear taller, more athletic.

Come in and be measured by our expert staff —You'll be the one folks will admire now, when you wear your new, distinguished, perfect-fitting suit. Our staff will be pleased to advise you on the style that will look best on you.

Small extra charge for sizes over 46.

Order yours now and take advantage of this wonderful sale offer!

BAY men's clothing, main

The HUDSON'S BAY LABEL in your distinctive new suit is your guarantee of quality and complete satisfaction



Special Price
\$44.99

Wear a distinctive made-to-measure suit for only
\$5 now \$7 monthly

Extra trousers will double the wear — Order another pair of trousers for your suit for only **\$15**

Do you like a vest? — A neat-fitting vest to match your handsome suit, only **\$5**

Order two suits now! Save more! — Get two perfect-fitting suits now for the ordinary price of one! Take advantage of this seasonal fabric clearance to complete your wardrobe! **\$85**

TWO made-to-measure suits

Shop at the BAY for complete gardening supplies!

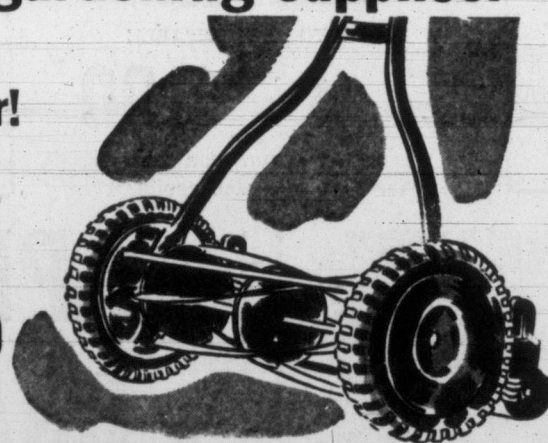
Your old model is worth \$2 trade-in on a new, easy-to-push rubber-tire mower!

Tired of pushing that old mower? Then trade it in NOW when it's worth \$2 on this rubber-tired model that rolls along smoothly, clips the toughest grass without back-breaking effort. 5 fine quality Sheffield steel blades will keep their sharp edge longer. Tubular steel handle won't splinter or twist with weathering. Buy this reg. 14.95 model NOW!

Save 2.97, PLUS your trade-in!

Take the hard work out of lawn cutting!

Special sale price, **11.99**
Trade-in, **\$2**
YOU PAY ONLY 9.99



Two-wheel dump cart makes work lighter — All the weight of the load is concentrated on the 11-inch wheels instead of the handles. Rolls along smoothly on rubber tires and carries a larger load, to make less work of your Spring clean-up campaign. Green finish. Special, each **9.95**

Buy a well-balanced metal wheelbarrow — For easier handling of heavy loads. Semi-pneumatic tire is puncture-proof, makes wheeling less work. Yellow finish. Only a special purchase makes this low price possible for such a light, but strong, wheelbarrow. Special, each **13.88**

Grow more in clay-type soil! — Use Acrisol soil conditioner to aerate and keep the heaviest clay-type ground from clogging and choking plants. Have a better garden this year. U.S. quart, **1.09** 1/2 gallon, **1.99** gallon, **3.49**

Buy the best Dutch gladiolus bulbs now — Choose your favorite colors from 19 named varieties, including: "Bit of Heaven," "Huntress," "Elizabeth the Queen," "Acca Laurentia." All first quality, No. 1 size Dutch bulbs. 6¢ each, or dozen for **70¢**

Keep insects under control with spray! — Now, before they get a head start, take precautionary action with lime sulphur spray to keep insects and fungus from ruining all your hard work in the garden. Quart, **75¢** gallon, **1.75**

BAY garden shop, lower main

9 a.m. SPECIALS

On Sale One Hour Only or While Quantities Last
No Phone, C.O.D. or Mail Orders Please

Lawn Boy power mower. Save! Only three slightly used Lawn Boy rotary mowers that were reg. \$95 . . . Be early for yours! Save **26¢**! Special, each **68.88**

One Savage 18-inch reel mower This regular 129.50 power mower has been used as a demonstrator in our garden shop. Buy it now and save \$39! Special **89.99**

Save \$80, remote control mower Just sit and relax comfortably while you operate this efficient mower from a push-button control box. 1 only, regular 179.50. Special **98.88**

Use Uplands Special fertilizer and your lawns, vegetables and flowers will grow more luxuriantly with the added nutrients of this well-balanced fertilizer . . . Specially made for our Victoria climate . . . 10 lbs., reg. 95¢. Now **79¢**

Keep a basket handy for weeding and also for cleaning up the yard. These are slightly used, so the special price, each **19¢**

BAY garden shop, lower main

Save half on pottery ash trays! Handsome California pottery ash trays in sand, burgundy, green or black, were 2.95 for set of three. Special, set **1.47**

Save half on Libby glass sets! Buy a set of 8 decorated glasses in 7-oz. old-fashioned size, 9-oz. table size, or 12-oz. iced tea shape. Reg. 4.95. Special, set **2.47**

Save! Boys' broadcloth pajamas It doesn't pay to make boys' pajamas when you can buy a Sanforized broadcloth pair at this special price! . . . Colorfast striped patterns. Sizes 6 to 18. Special, pair **1.79**

Buy boys' tweed longs . . . Priced so low because these fine fabrics are mill ends of better quality men's suiting, including some Harris tweeds. Styled with pleats and zippers. Sizes 10 to 16. **3.95** **4.95**

Special, pair

BAY boys' wear, main

For a complete selection of healthy fruit trees and strong, well-developed ornamental shrubs, shop at the BAY

Buy Rochester peaches — The best variety for our locality. each **1.99**
Extra-strong cherry trees — Select your favorite variety and plant NOW! Bing, Van, Deacon, Lambert, each **2.49**
Two-year dwarf apples — Well-developed trees, now, each **2.25**
Strong dwarf pears — each **2.50**
Four-year-old filbert trees — Have already borne fruit. Extra large trees, each **1.99**

Choose your berry bushes, small fruits and ornamental shrubs now, from our complete selection.

BAY shrub shop, parking lot entrance

In Victoria, it's the BAY for handy one-stop shopping!



BETWEEN TIMES

By MONTE ROBERTS

Half-way remarks for Wednesday half-day:

The Chief of Police of Grimsby, Ontario, has been suspended by the mayor and council, and the last I heard, he was facing trial on various charges.

You know what the charges are? I quote:

"Incivility, unlawful arrest, communicating information to the press, and failing to keep his police cruiser clean enough."

I do hope the poor man doesn't fail to brush his teeth in the morning. They'd really throw the book at him for THAT.

But I like the charge of "communicating information to the press."

It is one rarely made in these parts.

A brief news item reports press photographers in England went "on strike" against taking pictures of the Royal Family.

It appears they were irked when refused permission to take pictures of the Queen and Queen Mother alighting from a train. So they refused to take any pictures at all.

Outside of the fact it all sounds pretty childish, I guess there was no great harm done.

I don't know about you, but I've SEEN a picture of the Royal family.

The premier was certainly rude to Mr. Gibson yesterday. The least he could have done was stick around while Mr. Gibson insulted him.

Two more brief notes about Premier Bennett. A CCF member of parliament rates him as the second smartest politician in Canada.

And, on the same day, Premier Bennett gave credit to the women of B.C. for electing the Social Credit government.

Second smartest politician? Haw!

Diplomatic award of the week: to the Victoria husband who forgot his wife's birthday and changed her rage to loving kindness by saying: "But how could I know? You don't look a day older than when we were married."

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

Victoria branch of Institute of Power Engineers will hold a joint meeting with American Institute of Electrical Engineers in Chamber of Commerce board room Thursday at 8 p.m. H. Perry, Canadian General Electric, will speak on "Gas Turbine Application."

Annual meeting and election of officers for Victoria Y.M.C.A. Men's Club will be Thursday at 6:30 p.m. in club rooms. Guest speaker will be local Y.M.C.A. general secretary Vivian Shoemaker. Board of directors will meet February 28 at 7:45 p.m. at the home of Vic Christison, Burnside Road.

Victoria Aquarium Society will hear Norman Maynard speak about "Tropical Fish" at Norway House, 1110 Hillside tonight at 8.

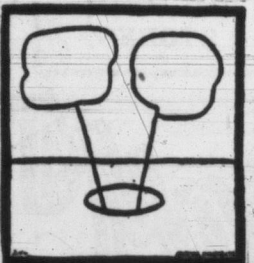
Oak Bay court of revision, on local improvements will sit at Municipal Hall, March 14 at 5:30 p.m.

Nominations for executive in Esquimalt Canadian Legion, branch 172, close tonight at a general meeting to be held in clubrooms at 622 Admirals.

Renovations and redecoration to clubrooms has been completed after a two weeks closure.

Annual reunion of 51st Battalion will be in Britannia branch Legion at 8 p.m. Saturday.

DROODLES



When I got flunked out of art school the second time I decided to get even by starting a new comic strip. The hero of the strip was going to be me, because I have so many interesting things to say. Unfortunately, in the first strip my talk-balloons crowded out all the characters including me. So I invented a teeny tiny character named "Hob" who said things like "!!!" and "???" and "What?" and "You can say that again!" And I always did say it again. It was a fascinating strip but newspaper editors were too hide-bound to appreciate it, so I got even with the art school another way. I grew a beard and enrolled again under an assumed name.

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City Students Active in UBC "Open House"

Victoria students are taking an active part in planning the University of British Columbia's "Open House," March 5, which winds up "University Week," there.

Student committee members include Allan Thackray, 2358 Heron Street, traffic chairman; Frances Alliperton, 2149 Lansdowne Road, secretary; and Walter Young, 2527 Thompson Avenue, vice-chairman.

"Open House" day is expected to attract about 50,000 visitors.

Each university department and student club will contribute to more than 200 displays and demonstrations planned to inform the public what work is done at Canada's second largest English-speaking university.

Opening event in the women's gymnasium Feb. 28, at 9 p.m., will be a model United Nations



Exhale . . . Hold It . . . Next

It's that fast, easy and painless. Ask any of 629 Eaton's employees who posed their diaphragms for provincial X-ray technician Grant Klokheid this week and they'll agree. Free examinations are arranged by district health authorities. Province provides the

portable unit, expenses are partly met by proceeds from TB Seals sales. Unit will visit any group of 100 employees in the district. No one has to lose time from work. Fight to wipe out TB is aided by thousands like Pat Sparks, above, Eaton's food office.

City Man Freed After Receiving Stolen Radios

Magistrate Rules Foot Intimidated

In city police court today Clifford Charles Foot, 30, 3131 Delta Street, was given a suspended sentence when he appeared before Magistrate H. C. Hall on a charge of receiving stolen goods.

Foot was ordered to enter into a \$500 good behavior bond for one year and to report monthly to a parole officer for that period of time.

Foot was charged with receiving six radios, property of Northern Electric Co. Ltd., 1350 Blanshard.

The radios were later identified in court as part of the loot taken in a \$1,579 burglary of the electrical premises January 14.

Vernon Charles Reid, 32, of 1619 Quadra Street, was sentenced to four years in prison Jan. 26 on a charge of breaking and entering and theft from Northern Electric Co. Ltd.

Another man, Joseph Fraser, 19, also of 1619 Quadra, was given a six-month sentence on a charge of retaining stolen goods in connection with the burglary.

In imposing sentence on Foot, Magistrate Hall said he felt intimidated by Reid resulting in Foot taking the radios, which later were found in the basement of his home.

Right-of-Way Taxation Appeal Here

A civil appeal which may have far reaching effects on the taxation of rights-of-way of public utility companies for power and telephone cables, is being argued before the Appeal Court at the Bastion Street courthouse today.

The City of West Vancouver is asking the court for the right to tax land granted to the B.C. Telephone Co. for three of its cables. The company's right-of-ways is situated on land mostly under water, between West Vancouver and Bowen Island and Stanley Park.

In a lower court judgment, West Vancouver was granted the right to tax only the land occupied by the cable. This amounted to a little over an inch of land in width, extending about 1,000 feet.

The city, however, contends it has the right to tax the entire right-of-ways which vary between 100 and 150 feet.

The B.C. Telephone Company is opposing the appeal, claiming that municipalities have not the right to tax its right-of-ways for its cables.

T. G. Norris, QC, is acting as counsel for West Vancouver, while D. L. Vaughan, is representing the company.

The appeal is regarded as a test case by lawyers as the court's decision may effect the taxation of hundreds of rights-of-way of public utility companies.

Transportation Crippled by Fog

Motorists Forced to Abandon Cars; Weatherman Says No Repeat Tonight

A city-wide grey-out clamped down on Victoria Tuesday night, stalling traffic and forcing scores of motorists to abandon their cars and grope their way home on foot.

It was one of Victoria's worst fogs in recent years. It began to form in patches about 7:30 p.m. and an hour later visibility in some sections was down to about five yards. By 9:30 visibility all over the city was close to zero.

The fog reached its murkiest point around 11. Most taxi companies refused to take calls, buses were slowed to a crawl, and parking lots were crowded with abandoned cars.

MAGIC-MAKER BEATEN BY 'MA' NATURE

Canada's Houdini, Bill Harkness of Victoria, made another escape Tuesday evening.

The man who has amazed hundreds with his skill at driving a car through city streets while blindfolded took a look at the fog.

Then he parked his car. And escaped by walking home.

A brisk wind blew it away in the early morning hours. Extreme caution on the part of all drivers who kept their vehicles on the road held down accidents to a scattering of dented fenders and locked bumpers.

On the waterfront, fog-wise mariners kept shipping moving without incident. Two deep-sea ships delayed sailing from Ogden Point until the fog cleared, but the CPR's midnight steamer left for Vancouver on schedule.

Both Patricia Bay airport here and Sea Island airport on the mainland were clear and flights were uninterrupted.

Meteorologists blamed the grey-out on water droplets condensing in warm air with no wind to disperse them.

The fog stretched as far west as View Royal, but beyond there visibility was normal, with only a few wisps in the Langford area. Saanich was fairly heavily covered as were low-lying areas in central Saanich.

Ferry Service Report Denied

Reports that Black Ball Ferries Ltd. soon will launch a fast car and passenger service between Vancouver Island and the mainland were denied today by George Paulin, Victoria manager for the company.

"We haven't even considered this route," he said. Naturally, we try to keep abreast of transportation requirements. But reports that we are planning a Sidney-Steveston service are untrue.

"We have not even been approached to consider servicing this route."

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New Fire Hall Asked by Chief

\$500,000 Building, Changed Site Sought

City Fire Chief Frank Briers today asked City Council to build a new headquarters fire hall at a new location. He said it would cost about \$500,000.

The chief made his request in his annual report submitted to council today.

Briers said the new hall is more important than a new Point Ellice Bridge.

He said the present Market Building headquarters on Cormorant Street is outdated. It has been described in the past as a tinderbox—ready to collapse.

The chief said the new headquarters should be moved from the present site. He was not prepared at this time to recommend a few location, though.

Equipment on hand was adequate to meet fire protection needs of the city, Chief Briers said, but a new hall was required urgently.



FIRE CHIEF BRIERS seeks new headquarters

Shopbreaker Sentenced To Pen Term

Bowcott Gets Three Years

Magistrate H. C. Hall today moved to stamp out the current rash of local burglaries by imposing a three-year prison term on a 26-year-old former jail-breaker.

Sentenced was Bernard E. Bowcott, no fixed address.

He pleaded guilty to a charge of breaking and entering and theft from Harjim Machine Works, 2500 Rock Bay Avenue.

Taken in the break-in was a case of beer, two wrenches, some belt fasteners and a quantity of cigarettes.

Court was told Bowcott has been convicted on 10 previous charges of breaking and entering, and once for receiving stolen goods in Winnipeg. He also received a three-month term for breaking jail in that city.

Bowcott was arrested on Bay Street early Monday morning.

10 CASES

Since January 1, 10 cases of burglary, one safecracking and two cases of armed robbery have been investigated.

Largest haul was made when two masked bandits held up Victoria Press Ltd. employees and escaped with \$6,413 in cash and cheques on Feb. 7.

Feb. 4 expert safecrackers punched open a safe and made away with about \$1,000 cash and \$200 in cheques from Civil Service Credit Union office in Hospital Insurance Building, Michigan Street.

Jan. 31, theft of \$400 electrical equipment from Modern Metal Furniture Co. Ltd. metal plant, 926 Fort.

A city man was sentenced to four years following burglary of Northern Electric Co. Ltd., 1950 Blanshard, Jan. 14, of \$1,579 in appliances.

Yukon visitors were robbed of \$842 Jan. 14. Money was taken from their auto while they were in a cafe eating.

Limping bandit robbed a BCE bus driver Jan. 6 and got only \$35 after flashing a gun.

Interest Reduced On Housing Loans

Increased Demand for NHA Aid Seen As Result of Ottawa Announcement

A decrease of one-quarter of one per cent in the interest rate on insured loans under the National Housing Act likely will spur an already "tremendous demand" for mortgage funds for home building, according to a Victoria realtor.

The reduction was announced in Ottawa today by Works Minister Winters, effective Thursday.

"Building is brisk at the present time," said Stewart Clark, whose firm handles a large proportion of this type of loan in Victoria. "Any reduction in interest rates will stimulate demand, merely through its psychological effect."

"The reduction is \$1.35 per month on \$9,000 loans," he said, "and will amount to \$400 over the period of the loan. It is not much, but it certainly will not tend to decrease the amount borrowed."

He could not foresee any change in the attitude of lending institutions toward loaning money under the new rate.

"Although they were happy with the old rate of 5 1/2 per cent, they probably will carry on just the same with the new rate of 5 1/4," he said.

Robert Hoard of Ker & Stephenson Ltd. pointed out that with this type of loan the income of the borrower often is the deciding factor in the size of the loan, since all payments must not exceed more than 23 per cent of his income.

"This may mean that a borrower can handle a larger loan, and have just a little bit nicer home than he originally planned," he said.

Again using income as the governing factor in the loan, H. J. Ferguson, president of the Victoria Contractors' Association, said that the reduction will lower the income requirement for a loan, and make such loans available to an income group that could not manage such a loan previously.

The reduction announced in Commons by Mr. Winters was in keeping with lower long-term interest rates on government securities. The Bank of Canada Monday reduced its interest rate on loans to chartered banks to 1 1/4 per cent from two.

ASK The TIMES

Q.—Is the British aircraft carrier Implacable, which passed through Victoria from Japan, Oct. 11, 1945, still in commission, and if so where is she?

A.—Jane's Fighting Ships, 1953, the latest edition, shows her in commission then, based at Portsmouth, Eng. No later information is available in Victoria, but it is assumed she is still in service. A letter to the Chief of Naval Information, the Admiralty, London, Eng., doubtless would bring information.

Q.—Will you please tell me if there is any Buddhist organization here or anywhere on the island, or in Vancouver? H. H. A.—There may be individual Buddhists on Vancouver Island, but lists of churches and temples in Victoria and elsewhere on the Island do not include a Buddhist temple. Available lists do not show a Buddhist temple on the mainland.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the question along to The Times, addressed to "Ask The Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily.

All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums.



She'll Try Cold Strait!

UBC student, 19-year-old Pat Russell of Vancouver is latest to add name to growing number of swimmers who want to try Strait of Juan de Fuca swim from here to Port Angeles. Toronto's Marilyn Bell is interested as is Flo Chadwick who made swim try last

August. Miss Russell, shown with coach "Freddie" McDermott, is present holder of the Rigley mile; attended B.E.G. trials and was in Toronto for YMCA at last Olympic trials. She is primarily a distance swimmer, says coach.

SHOPPING GUIDE

Search a Bit and You'll Still Find Sale Bargains

By PENNY SAVER

Brand new stock is coming in, every hour of every day, but many stores are still having wonderful sales. I came upon a very attractive selection of sweaters today . . . and all on sale. A white grandmere cardigan with long sleeves, originally \$9.95 is now \$6.95. And that's not all! This style has embossed taffeta ribbon around the neck and down the front of the sweater, giving it a very special look.

Remember those pert little short-sleeved cardigans with the plaid trim? Well, they're on sale too . . . for \$5.95 . . . once they were \$8.95! All your favorite plaids are featured. You can buy belts to match, too.

An evening cardigan in white grandmere with long sleeves really made me drool with envy for some lucky goll. Glittery silver thread entwined with pearls and brilliants twinkled around the neck and down the front of the sweater. It really is gorgeous and I don't know how they can sell it for taking price of \$12.50 . . . it was \$17.50!

Princess Alice Visits Jamaica

HRH Princess Alice, cousin of Her Majesty the Queen, and her husband, the Earl of Athlone, arrived in Jamaica, B.W.I., recently for their third winter visit to the island, where they will remain for a month or longer.

During the earlier part of their visit they were the guests of Sir Hugh Foot, KCMG, KCMG, OBE, governor of Jamaica, and Lady Foot at King's House, the governor's residence in St. Andrew, a suburb of Kingston.

Arriving at Port Royal, in Kingston Harbor, on the S.S. Golfito, they were greeted with a 21-gun salute by the British battleship HMS Superb, and have been honored by numerous receptions and ceremonies from the beginning of their visit.

On Feb. 21 Princess Alice will be received by HRH Princess Margaret, during the latter's five-day visit to Jamaica, the occasion being the charity ball to be given at the University College of the West Indies, of which Princess Alice is chancellor. The Earl of Athlone is chancellor of London University.

PTA NEWS

Burnside. Thirty members attended Burnside School PTA meeting when Mrs. E. Jubb, president of Lanedowne School PTA, gave a report on the "Save the Children Fund." W. J. Orchard, principal of Burnside School, spoke on report cards. Refreshments were served.

AS WE LIVE

Parade of Knowledge Can Make Boy Feel Inferior

By ELIZABETH B. HURLOCK, PhD

While boys of today do not prefer girls to be "beautiful but dumb," as boys of the past generations did, they still do not like girls to show off their knowledge and make them feel inferior.



Hurlock

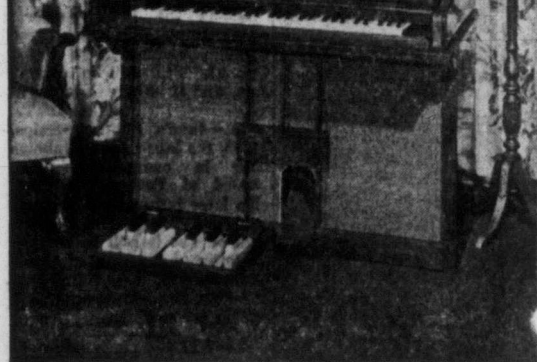
(Q)—"I am in my second year of high school and am very fond of a certain boy who is in my class. I think he likes me too, but he is very shy and doesn't show it. He is not a very good student and has been having a lot of trouble with his French. I like French and always get good grades in it. I would like to help this boy with his lessons, but I am not sure if I should offer to do so. How do you think he would feel about it?"

(A)—He would doubtless be very glad to have your help, but you will have to go about it in a very tactful way if you want him to like you.

It is humiliating to a boy to know that a girl thinks he is not very bright. You would certainly convey that impression if you offered to help him without his asking you.

You could, however, lead up to the matter gradually in conversations. In time he might even ask you if you would help him. Be sure to emphasize that you like languages and have always been good in them, then quickly add that you haven't the "brains" to do math, science, or some other subject in which you know he is fairly good. True, you may be better in this subject than he is, but don't let him know that you know it.

This might be the clue for him to ask you to help him, and he will offer, in turn, to help you with the subject you are having difficulties with. In that way, you will give him a chance to feel superior to you in at least one subject.



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To Marry in Early March

Mr. and Mrs. J. McAllister, 2565 Beach Drive, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Valerie Lorraine, to James Wesley Trimble, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Trimble, 2213 Windsor Road. The marriage will take place on Saturday evening, March 5, at St. Mat-



thias' Church, with the Rev. F. Tomalin officiating. Miss McAllister has asked Mrs. M. Fallis, Mrs. N. Baker, Mrs. W. Petersen, and Miss I. Thompson to be her attendants. (Photos by Howard Phillips.)

Special Guests At HMCS Beacon Hill Meeting

Among special guests at annual meeting of HMCS Beacon Hill Chapter, IODE, Monday evening, in the home of Mrs. F. W. Mawdsley, 3697 Craigmill Avenue, were Mrs. J. L. Gates, municipal regent, and second vice-president of Provincial Chapter; Mrs. T. Lumsden, organizing secretary and municipal honorary regent; Mrs. J. L. Ford, Mrs. D. W. Carter and Mrs. A. W. Bradley.

Presentations of a cup and saucer was made to Mrs. Gates and to Mrs. F. W. Mawdsley by Mrs. E. J. Bowcott, new regent. Miss Iola Gordon presented Mrs. Bowcott with a corsage.

Treasurer's report given by Mrs. S. R. Brown showed receipts as \$245.35, and disbursements, \$255.68.

Mrs. G. A. Thomas read the secretary's report which showed that pocket books were sent to men aboard HMCS Cayuga serving in Korean waters.

DONATIONS

Money-making activities included a card party, teas, bingo, raffle and ticket sales for a dance revenue. Among donations were Victoria Nursing Home, \$85; the Mary Croft Memorial, \$5; National and Municipal Film Fund, \$1; Peace Garden Memorial, \$2; Retirement Fund for Miss McLean, \$5.

Miss Dorene Vogel, educational secretary, reported calendars and photos of the Queen sent to the adopted school at Lantzville.

Other reports given were: Standard bearer, Miss Iola Gordon; Echoes, Miss Betty Brown; services at home and abroad, Mrs. W. Roland; press and publicity, Miss Pat Mawdsley.

New officers are: Regent, Mrs. E. J. Bowcott; first vice-regent, Mrs. G. A. Thomas; second, Miss Betty Brown; secretary, Mrs. R. E. Morris; educational secretary, Miss Dorene Vogel; Echoes, Mrs. W. A. Paterson; treasurer, Mrs. L. M. Cooper; standard bearer, Miss Iola Gordon.

In a short address Mrs. Gates reminded the meeting that there are, at present, three members whose mothers have been regents of chapter.

OF PERSONAL INTEREST Shower in Belmont Park

Mrs. J. Pottinger and Mrs. J. Bellavie were co-hostesses recently at the Belmont Park home of the latter at a miscellaneous shower given in honor of bride-elect, Miss Mary Morgan. A mounted policeman doll was placed in a setting of igloos and eskimos in miniature on the bride's table in compliment to the groom who is stationed in northern B.C. Gifts were arranged under the scenic table. Spring flowers decorated the table where buffet refreshments were served. Guests were Mrs. J. B. Fort, aunt of the bride-elect; Mrs. J. Shepherd, Mrs. C. Barager, Mrs. J. Mumford, Mrs. J. George, Mrs. L. Brownsey, Mrs. D. Pettigrew, Mrs. H. MacGowan, Mrs. S. Bryant, Mrs. E. Creighton and Mrs. M. Coghlan.

Party for Miss Hansen

Miss Ketty Hansen was honored recently at a miscellaneous shower given by Mrs. L. Ashby, 419 Springfield. A small bride's table held the gifts. Guests were Mrs. H. D. Hansen, mother of the bride-elect; Mrs. H. Herbert, Mrs. M. Blandin, Mrs. A. Gould, Mrs. G. Frost, Mrs. H. Mueller, Misses Dawn Reeve, Joan Richardson, Mary Hansen, Betty Simpson, Isabelle Pearce, Joy Lowery, Carol Lowery and Elsa Zembrook.

Movies Shown at Party

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Todd entertained at their Newport Avenue home last evening at an informal party at which movies of the British Empire Games and the Chadwick swim were shown to the guests, among whom were members of the editorial staffs of the Times and Colonist. Following the movies, refreshments were served buffet style from a lace and linen-covered table centred with a low bowl holding tiny spring blooms. About 30 guests attended.

At Forbidden Plateau

Mr. Peter Cook, Mr. John McLean and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Roesser were among Victorians visiting Forbidden Plateau Lodge last week-end. Miss Alma Hay and Miss Trudy Cain were visitors from Duncan, B.C.

Friends Say Farewell

Mrs. D. G. Milton, who will leave for Ottawa with her three children next week, was honored at a surprise farewell party at her home at 1743 Lee Avenue. She was presented with a sweater set and a corsage of red roses. Guests were Mrs. A. Stewart, Mrs. J. Stewart, Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. B. McLeod, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. S. McLean, Mrs. A. White, Mrs. Collington, Mrs. F. Hetherington, Mrs. N. Lowe, Mrs. M. Bach, Mrs. Birley, Mrs. B. W. Smith, Mrs. L. Shirley, Mrs. A. Rogers and Mrs. L. Elgood.

Return From Mexico

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Newmarch have returned to their Transit Street home after a trip south as far as Mexico.



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Yvonne Pedneault And H. H. Bird Married In Centennial Church

Baskets of spring flowers and vases of red tulips were placed in Centennial United Church for the wedding last Monday evening of Yvonne Evelyn Pedneault and Harold Herbert Bird. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alf Pedneault, 2839 Austin Avenue, and the groom the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bird of Birch Hills, Sask.

Rev. Douglas Carr officiated and organ music was played by Mrs. Margaret Wilmschurst. Mrs. W. Hill sang "My Prayer."

A ballerina-length gown of filmy nylon net and lace with a full billowing skirt and fitted bodice was chosen by the bride. A matching lace jacket with three-quarter length sleeves and a pert stand-up collar topped her gown. A waist-length veil of nylon net with lace edging was held in place by a sequined lace coronet, and red roses and freesias made up the cascade bridal bouquet. Mr. Pedneault gave his daughter in marriage.

Matron of honor, Mrs. P. Barber, and bridesmaid, Miss Maureen Pedneault, cousin of the bride, wore ballerina-length net-over-tulle gowns with matching boleros, in shades of blue and pink respectively. Both wore coronets en tone, and carried colonial bouquets of iris, carnation and hyacinths.

Best man was Hugo Shore, while Phillip Pedneault and Gene Pedneault, cousins of the bride, ushered guests to seats marked with white satin bows and tiny pink flowers.

A reception was held at Loughheed's Banquet Hall, where the bride and groom were assisted in receiving guests by Mrs. Pedneault in a dusty pink dress with matching accessories and a cream-colored rosebud corsage.

Furnishings Today, Yesterday

Comparison of furnishings of 200 years ago to the contemporary furniture of today was made by Glen Oliphant at meeting of XI Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, held in Standard Furniture Company store.

Mr. Oliphant pointed out the advantages and the reasons for the change of design, texture and construction. He showed some of the newest draperies, slip cover and upholstery fabrics on the market, pointing out the advantages over some of the more familiar fabrics. He also gave helpful hints as to what to look for when buying good furniture.

After the meeting refreshments were served by Aileen Lee.

Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie Chapter, IODE, annual meeting at home of Mrs. H. D. Parizeau, 935 Richmond Avenue, Friday at 8 p.m. . . . South Vancouver Island District Council Ladies' Auxiliary, Canadian Legion, Naval Veterans' Auditorium, Broad Street, Friday at 1.30 p.m.

sage, and Mrs. Bird in a pale dress with accessories en tone, and a corsage of pink and white carnations.

A three-tier white wedding cake centred the bridal table and was flanked by pink and white carnations and white candles in silver holders. Spring flowers decorated the hall. Alex Robinson proposed the toast to the bride.

Mrs. Bird chose for her going-away outfit, a winter white knitted suit with matching small close-fitting hat, and a brown muskrat coat with matching brown shoes and bag. Following their honeymoon trip in Vancouver and Seattle, Mr.

and Mrs. Bird will live at 2839 Austin Avenue.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. A. Wiggs, of Port Alberni, and Mrs. M. Taylor, of Birch Hills, Sask.

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Between Ourselves

By ELIZABETH FORBES

"There was a time when I thought anyone who built a home on a rock was crazy . . . but now . . . I wouldn't live anywhere else." Martha Gregory, wife of Victoria's Liberal M.L.A. said these words proudly Wednesday morning as the many guests who thronged her home for a coffee party hosted by the Lady Laurier Club of Oak Bay "o-o-h'd" and "a-h-h'd" at the marvellous view of mountains, islands and sea that is framed from every window in the Gregory home. It's built high on the rocks on that part of Beach Drive known as the Willows Downs.



It was a sunny morning with more than a hint of warmth in the air, and among the great throng of guests were many who wore spring hats and suits.

Bessie, Mrs. Arthur Laing, who flew from Vancouver to preside at the coffee table, was a charming picture in a two-piece suit of royal blue touched with black. Her head-hugging hat of white woven straw was enhanced by a tiny nose veil. Accompanying Mrs. Laing from Vancouver was Mrs. L. T. Hurst, who wore a navy ensemble with fuchsia red hat and veil. Mrs. Harold Johnston, acting as one of the serveurs, had chosen a navy coat dress with daffodil yellow collar and front. Her shallow-crowned yellow straw hat was completed with a long yellow quill.

A glowing brown dress of fine-wool, styled on Princess lines with antique gold button trim, was choice of Mrs. Byron Johnson. She wore garnet earrings and necklace and a tiny brown ribbon cloche with gold head trim. Mrs. Lloyd McNeven's spring yellow straw hat was a perfect foil for her brown corded silk dress and blue mink cape. A spring green-knit dress was worn by Mrs. Richard Niven, with an attractive white ribbon straw hat with black quill. With her was Mrs. A. H. Tarter, wearing a black knitted suit dress with an embroidered design in white at the shoulder. Her small white straw hat was faced with navy. Mrs. H. A. Beckwith, president of the club, wore a crushed rose ensemble. Mrs. Gregory wore navy touched with white. An attractive arrangement of white calla lilies and white stocks centred the refreshment table and pale blue iris and white and pink tulips were in the reception rooms.

York Place Home Open Also for Guests

Another gracious residence was opened Wednesday afternoon for a tea sponsored by the Women's Guild of St. Mary's Church. This was the home of Mrs. R. W. Gibson, high on a hillside on York Place. The spacious rooms with many tall windows looking out over the waters and islands of Oak Bay were filled with guests throughout the afternoon. Mrs. Gibson received in a navy blue afternoon dress complemented with a long necklace of cut crystal. Mrs. R. A. Wootton, convener of the affair, wore a black ensemble. Mrs. J. H. Gillespie wore an afternoon ensemble of iridescent black and turquoise silk. With this she wore a small pale yellow straw hat. Mrs. Gibson's daughter, Mrs. F. N. Cabellu, recently returned from Hawaii with a delightful 'tan and a glowing account of the sunny isles, assisted in serving guests.

Arrangements of yellow tulips and mauve and pink saxifrage with lighted yellow candles in silver holders centred the refreshment table.

On the grand piano in the living room was an arrangement of anthems in orange and red, sent by air from Hawaii by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Harman. Mrs. Harman is another daughter of Mrs. Gibson.

OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Travellers Return

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Harman returned to Victoria today after a trip that took them to New Zealand, Australia and to Honolulu.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Oliver have returned to their Cadboro Bay Road home following a six-week vacation in Honolulu.

At B.C. House

A Victorian who has registered recently at British Columbia House, London, Eng., is Mrs. Arthur Doncaster. Another name listed is Mr. Alexander (Sandy) Gordon, Cobble Hill, B.C.

CLUB WOMEN'S NEWS

Plays Read—Mrs. S. S. Macro was hostess at her home recently when the Drama Group of Victoria Women's Institute held their meeting. Lunch was served by the hostess. Two new plays were read and were taken up for practice.

St. Patrick's Day Tea—At the Happy Valley Women's Institute meeting in Luxton Hall recently, plans were made to hold a St. Patrick's Day tea on March 17 at 2.30 p.m. A home cooking stall will be held at the tea. Sewing groups are meeting regularly at Mrs. A. Mills' home, Happy Valley Road, to sew for the annual fall bazaar.

Parochial Supper—At St. John's Colwood Women's Auxiliary meeting, plans were made for the parochial supper, on March 17, to celebrate the 40th anniversary of the consecration of St. John the Baptist Church. The Women's Auxiliary will hold a tea in May. The hostess was Mrs. E. Emery.

Valentine Tea—St. John's Guild Valentine tea held in the parish hall at Colwood realized \$52. Mrs. H. J. Jones acted as hostess and the hall was decorated in Valentine motif with bowls of spring flowers. A candy stall with Mrs. M. Percival in charge, and a mystery parcel sale run by Mrs. B. Gwyer and Mrs. E. Peatt were featured.

Bringing Up Baby



Hints Collected by The New Yorker (Mother of 5)

Time really travels at high speed during baby's first year. Seems only a couple of yesterday's away that baby was completely dependent upon you. Now independence is the order of the day for your self-styled explorer. Such fun, finding out what feet are for—that little hands can suddenly direct a spoon—or that a coo actually comes out as a word. All part of the business of growing up; of learning coordination, control, self-confidence.

Toy talk. Wonderful day when a toddler discovers the joys of "personality" toys. Dolls, teddy bears and all manner of animals suddenly become playmates, not just playthings. They become friends to love, cuddle, share secrets with.

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Brush-up lesson. After washing baby's corduroy overalls, try brushing up the nap before creepers are completely dry. Keeps corduroy new looking, saves ironing.

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Annual Bridge and Tea Party Arranged

Mrs. R. O. Bell, general convener, Mrs. W. G. Thorpe, auxiliary president, Mrs. J. F. Hough, tea convener and Mrs. B. E. Porritt, bridge convener, have completed plans for the annual bridge tea

under auspices of the Women's Auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Thursday afternoon from 2.30 p.m. in the Nurses Home. Players are asked to bring their own cards.

Art Centre Reception

The Canadian landscape as emphasized by artists in the famed Group of Seven, drew a record gathering to the Arts Centre of Greater Victoria, Tuesday evening for opening of a showing that will continue until the end of the month.

Guests were received by Mr. M. L. Tyrwhitt-Drake, president of the board of directors and Mrs. George Masters of the women's committee. Mrs. Masters wore for the occasion a fuchsia red velvet skirt with a black evening blouse.

Among the guests were Mrs. Ina Uthoff, School Trustee W. P. Jeune, Mrs. William Press with her daughter, Miss Marjorie Press and Miss Maude Lettuce, Mr. H. I. Mallek looking very smart in a black ensemble with grey-hat featuring a long grey face-framing quill.

Miss Margaret Clay, Mrs. H. H. Hickman, wearing a black ensemble touched with the warm glow of coral necklace and earrings, Mrs. William Ellis and Miss Eve Brumpton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wootton attended the showing, also Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Keate, Mrs. Gwen Downes, Mrs. Harry Johns and Mrs. Tom Hammond.

Miss Gladys Downes was with Miss Dorothy Lee and Miss Nancy Spiers. Mrs. A. Burns and Mrs. Bob Stark came together. Mrs. Ted Lewis was an interested first-nighter for she studied under Arthur Lismer, one of the Group of Seven, some years ago.

Student Artists Present

Among others present were Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hamilton, Mr. Ronald Grant, Mrs. R. S. Conn, Mr. and Mrs. Trenholme Edwards, Miss Helen Beattie and Mrs. F. A. E. Manning, both of whom take lessons in oils. Also there were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McKenna, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Johns, Miss Marian James, Mr. Jan Zach, Miss Nell Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roberts, Mrs. Alan Tregear, Mr. Robin Terry and Mr. and Mrs. W. Lund.

Coffee was served later in the evening by members of the women's committee under convenship of Mrs. J. Chesman. Those assisting her were Mrs. David Boyd, Mrs. R. L. V. Jermain, Mrs. R. W. Chard, Mrs. K. A. Jones, Mrs. A. J. Johnston, Mrs. E. F. Ambery, Mrs. W. Osborne, Mrs. A. Birstowe, Mrs. R. W. Siddall, Mrs. A. Sutherland-Brown, Mrs. John Roe, Mrs. B. G. Alley, and Miss Joan Ellis. Mrs. A. E. Sherwin sold programs.

Disappointment was expressed by many that Mr. Lawren Harris was unable to be present as planned. His plane was grounded in Vancouver by fog. Among the most disappointed was Mrs. William Ellis whose granddaughter Nancy in far-off New Brunswick had taken lessons from Mr. Harris.

Pride was being expressed by members of the board of directors and the women's committee in the hanging of a panel over the fireplace with names of founder members, life governors, life members and benefactors listed.

Women's Forum Sponsors Tea

The Liberal Women's Forum is holding a tea and sale of home cooking on Friday in the Liberal headquarters, Government Street. Mrs. T. C. Smith is convener and Mrs. J. Slater and Mrs. A. Gurney are in charge of home cooking. Refreshments are being convened by Mrs. W. B. Mortimer and Mrs. I. Finley.

CLUB CALENDAR

Daughters of St. George, Princess Patricia Lodge, No. 238, Friday, 7.30.

Carne Rebekah Lodge, No. 45, Thursday, 8 p.m., in IOOF Hall, Douglas Street.

Native Daughters of B.C., Post No. 8, K. of P. Hall, Thursday, 7.30 p.m. Social following at 8.45 p.m.

B.C. Diocesan Board of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of England in Canada, Friday at 10 a.m., in St. Matthias parish hall.

Mardi Gras Party sponsored by the Newman Alumni Society of Victoria, for members and friends, Glenshell Lodge, Friday, 9 to 1. Dancing, bridge, scrabble. Buffet supper. For reservations, Mrs. D. McPhail, 3-8966.



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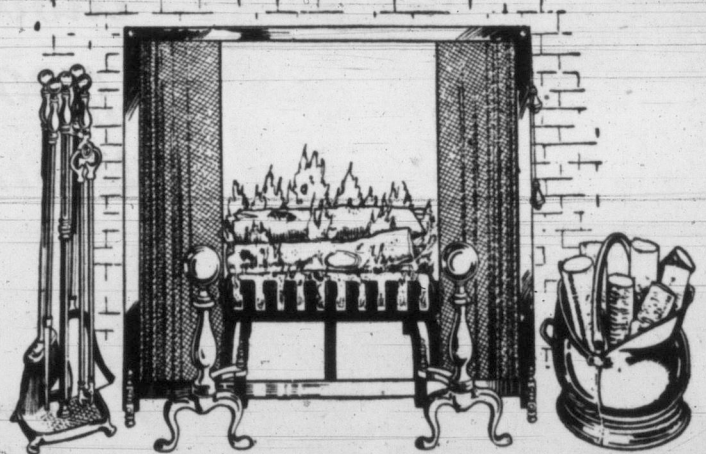
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We might as well face it. We must be in shape or not wear them. Why not get in shape? I promised you a few waist and abdominal reducing exercises today. Here they are. Of course there are hundreds of exercises for every portion of the body, but I find myself reverting to a few which I know, from experience, are better than the others. So, if you find a repeat here you will know why.

1. This is an exercise which is not too difficult for the average woman, but which will do wonders in reducing her abdomen and diaphragm. I have given it many times before in this column, but take it to your basic exercise program.

Lie on your back on the floor, with your arms resting on the floor overhead. Bend both knees up close to your abdomen and clasp the knees with the hands. Return legs and arms to the floor simultaneously. Return to the starting position. Stretch—stretch from toe to head for a few moments. Then continue.

GIRL GUIDES

Central District—Annual meeting of Central District Local Association of Girl Guides was held at the home of Mrs. E. J. Fatt, 407 Cook Street. District Commissioner Mrs. J. Hunter presided and the secretary and treasurer, Mrs. G. Baxter and Mrs. H. J. Heal were re-elected to office. It was decided that two members will attend the provincial annual meeting in April at Queen Margaret's School, Duncan. District church parade will be held at St. Alban's Church on Feb. 20. A box of Brownie material is being sent to Miss Stark of St. Michael's Indian School at Alert Bay. Special guest of the evening was Mrs. Keith MacDougall, divisional commissioner.

The stocking that stretches to the shape of the leg now has company in the form of the stocking with elastic knit into the top. These stay up without garters of any kind.

CHURCH SERVICE

FREDERICTON, N.B. (BUP)—A special commemorative church service was held here Sunday to mark founder's day for the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire. The first IODE chapter was formed in Fredericton in 1900. The organization now has 32,340 members in 957 chapters across Canada.



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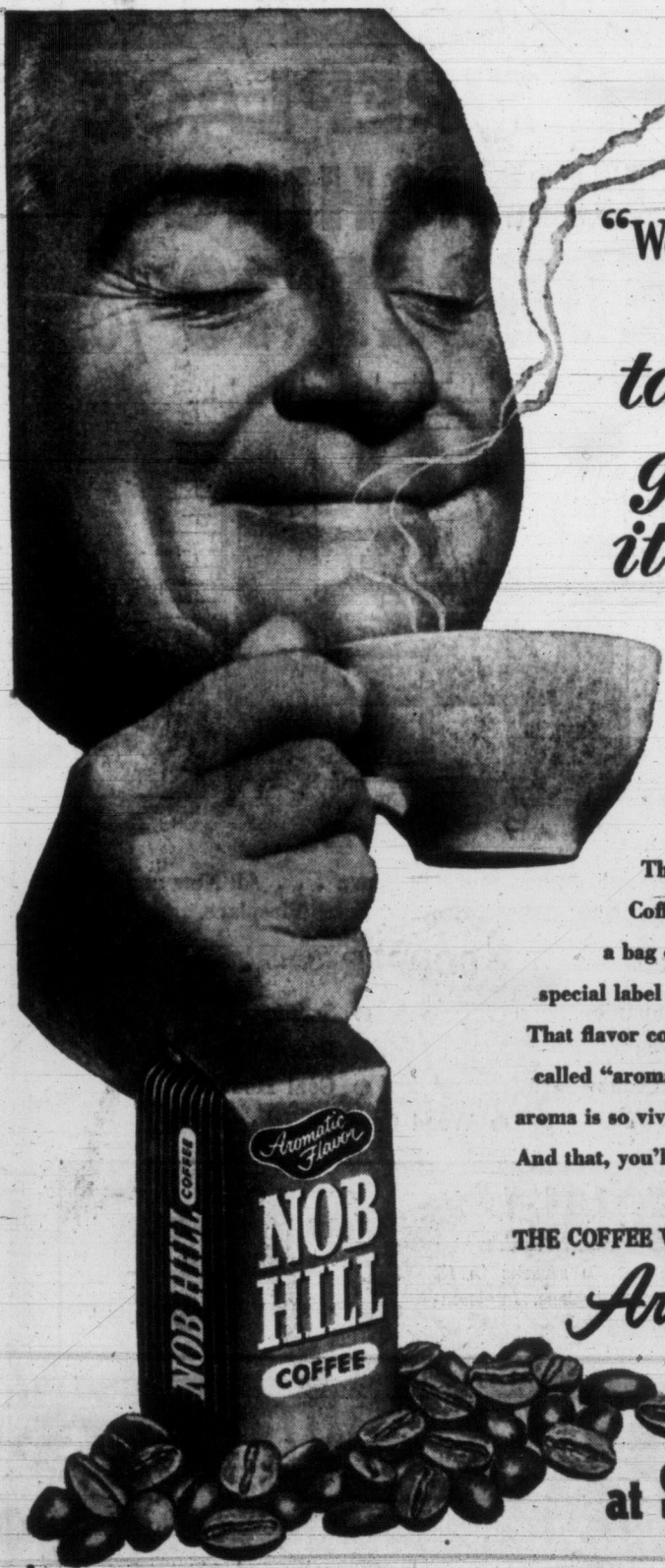
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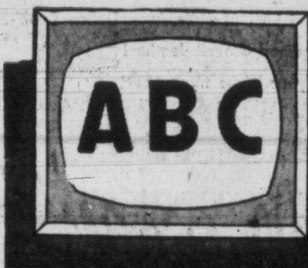
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Marble Inscriptions Link Democracies

UBC Professor Tells Extension Group Of 'Pure Democracy' of Greek Empire

Reassessment was as much of a headache 2,500 years ago as it is today, it was learned Monday night by a meeting of the Victoria Branch University Extension Association.

The meeting in Victoria College auditorium heard Dr. Malcolm McGregor professor of classics at the University of British Columbia describe the use of "raw materials of history," inscriptions on marble excavated in Greece over the last 130 years.

Dr. McGregor said the physical evidence of these stones showed a direct link between the first democracy in the fifth century B.C. and what we refer to as our own democracy today.

In this period, Dr. McGregor said, the Greeks, led by the Athenians had created an empire of all the non-Dorian Greeks to maintain a naval force and preserve the peace.

RECORDS ON MARBLE

For this purpose Athens levied tribute from 343 cities and kept records on marble of the amounts paid, by whom they were paid, and the Athenian official who collected them.

The government was a pure democracy in that it was participated in not by peoples' elected representatives as in a modern democracy, but by the citizens themselves.

Public documents, the inscribed marbles, were publicly displayed and it was from fragments recovered from about 1820 on that the financial working of the Greek Empire had been reconstructed.

Illustrating his lecture with lantern slides of the marble fragments Dr. McGregor described the painstaking detective work on the part of epigraphists to fit them as nearly as possible together and to fill in, with conclusive proof, the missing or obliterated parts.

VIEW DISPELLED

Names of officials on the documents, the lecturer said, dis-

Link With Past Broken by Death Of Mrs. Mary Finn

The death in Omaha, Neb., of Mrs. Mary Finn, widow of John M. Finn, has broken a link with old-time Victoria.

Her husband was the original leader of the Fifth Regiment Band prior to and after their marriage in 1895, during the period of command of Lieut. Col. E. G. Prior.

Mrs. Finn, known to her old Victoria friends and relatives as Mamie Stevens, was married to the bandmaster at the age of 17. Before her marriage she attended St. Ann's Academy, Victoria. Her parents were Mr. and Mrs. John Stevens. A half brother of hers, Henry Plump, still resides in Victoria. The Finn family, well known as a result of sharing in musical and other social events, left Victoria in 1906, after Mr. Finn had signed a contract as bandmaster at Krug Park, Omaha, which stretched out to 10 years.

The eldest of Mrs. Finn's sons, Rev. E. E. Finn, S. J., who is on the faculty of St. Louis University, sang the requiem mass for his mother in St. Peter's Church, Omaha.

Mrs. Finn was a sister of Alex Stevens, for years a member of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club's staff, who died a couple of years ago.

Drink, Illegitimacy Paired in Britain

LONDON (Reuters) — An "alarming" increase in drunkenness among girls under 21 in Britain had been accompanied by a rise in the illegitimate birth rate, the Economic Research Council, an independent social study group, said today. It reported the number of 20-year-old girls bearing illegitimate children rose by 4.9 per cent in 1952.

MAY JOIN ALS

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP) — Pat Abbruzzi of Warren, R.I. University of Rhode Island backfield ace who was drafted recently by Baltimore Colts of the National Football League, is expected to sign this week with Montreal Alouettes of the Big Four.

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HOME GARDEN

By HILDA BEASTALL

Victoria Daily Times
WEDNESDAY, FEB. 26, 1955

Many Species of Primula From Seed Planted Now

The genus Primula provides many species suitable for the amateur home gardener to include in the list for early planting.

It may at first appear confusing to find that primroses, Polyanthuses and auriculas are all primulas. Such is the case, however, and it need not be long before the gardener is familiar with other members of the genus.

The hardy species are useful plants, thriving under various conditions providing they receive ample moisture and some shade and good drainage. Many gardeners lift the plants after the flowers are over, set them in a shadier spot to grow for the summer, returning them to the open position in the fall.

Species to be treated in this way include Primula acaulis (English primrose), P. auricula

(auricula, in tones of brown, plum, yellow and green), P. veris (cowslip) and P. polyantha (polyanthus).

The soil should be made light with compost of leafmould and coarse sand for drainage. If the plants are to remain throughout the year in the same place, an additional mulching will be of benefit after spring flowering. It will serve the double purpose of providing a cooler root run for the summer, and will also contribute food during the period of growth.

Any of the above species may be raised from seed sown in a warm greenhouse in February though the beginner would do well to purchase a few good plants. This will introduce him to the desirable characteristics of the species. Later when raising from seed, it will not be so difficult to select only the best.

For garden beauty during the cool days of spring, the combination of color, and the fragrance of many of the primulas, cannot be surpassed.

LOST TIME CUT BY HALF DURING 1954

Labor Minister Lyle Wicks Monday disclosed the number of man-days of work lost in B.C. during 1954 through industrial disputes was slightly more than half the 1953 figure.

In 1953, 260,335 man-days were lost, compared to 140,958 in 1954.

Mr. Wicks said "the government, together with the operation of the new (Labor Relations) Act may, or may not be responsible for this very happy situation, depending on one's point of view."

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Zoning Statute Bans Bike Repair Shop

An application by Esquimalt hardware merchant H. M. Gibson to operate a bicycle repair shop at 895 Esquimalt Road was turned down by council Monday night in spite of argument that the move would "stifle business."

Permission to open the shop would require rezoning of the retail area, council was advised by its solicitor.

"He can sell bikes, but he mustn't repair them in that area," said Reeve A. C. Wurtele.

"It seems to me we are going to stifle that kind of enterprise in Esquimalt," Councillor

James Bryant said. "There must be some way we can allow this." Councillor G. K. Sammon said, "I agree with Councillor Bryant. I would like to see some laxity in the by-law."

"It could be a nuisance," said clerk J. W. Allen, informing the council there was a barber shop on one side of the location and a grocery on the other.

"It could ruin the whole retail area," submitted Councillor

Argyle, who pointed out that repairs are classed as light industry under zoning regulations. "I don't want to stifle business — far from it," said the reeve, and declared the application rejected.

BABY'S PULSE

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15. news
16. Female lawyer
17. Worshipped
18. Made relieved
19. Shaped
20. Check
21. Bulk
22. Health resort
23. Negating word
24. Ages
25. Creed
26. Stuncheon
27. Girl's name
28. Hot weather drinks
29. Tailcoats
30. Paradise
31. Turns an airplane motor
32. Compass point
33. Crouched
34. Leg joint
35. Down
36. Retain
37. Toward the sheltered side
38. Denomination
39. Lodging place
40. Vehicle
41. Kaler of cells
42. acid
43. roast beef
44. Birdy noises
45. Intestinal parasites
46. Pitcher
47. Bad cry
48. Muse of astronomy
49. Resuscitate
50. Pile
51. Mimicker
52. Departed
53. Law
54. More secure
55. Ooze
56. Isolands
57. Singing voice
58. Realm
59. Door keeper
60. Lewis Carroll
61. Poker player's term
62. Puttle
63. Orant
64. Arabian gulf
65. Glacial snow
66. Eventful
67. being
68. Individual

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Pole Flights in June

SYDNEY (Reuters).—The president of Canadian Pacific Airlines, Grant McConachie, said today that starting in June passengers from Australia will be able to fly in 50 hours from Sydney to Amsterdam over an Arctic circle route.

Arrowsmith Group: Sixty Terry McCall from "C" pack went up to the troop at a "going-up" ceremony. The second Arrowsmith troop is holding a salvage drive to raise funds for the jamboree. First Arrowsmith troop is planning a bottle drive on Friday.

Second Cathedral Group: A "Scouting Explained" course will be held in the Memorial Hall March 10 at 8 p.m. Parents are asked to attend to enable them to help their boys. The group will hold a church parade to Christ Church Cathedral Sunday at 11 a.m. Scout Brian Small has earned his cyclist stamp collector and artist badges.

Belmont Group: Eight scouts have completed a course in fire-fighting, qualifying for badges.

Brentwood Group: The annual meeting was held Monday resulting in the elections as chairman of A. Cuthbert. Other officers are Rev. G. H. Glover, vice-chairman; Mrs. E. Holden, secretary, and Mrs. R. V. Kelley, treasurer.

Third Victoria Group: The troop went for a tracking expedition Sunday, cooking dinner in the open. Patrol Leader Neville Bouch has completed his first class journey. At the pack meeting Milan Prokuep received his First Year Star and Earl Joyce his Second Year Star. Combined group, cubs, scouts and rovers will attend First United Church Sunday, meeting at the hall 10.15 a.m.

Windsor Park Group: George Megaw was elected chairman at the recent annual meeting, C. Blaney, vice-president; Dave Angus, secretary, and Jim Rankin, treasurer. Willows, Oak Bay and Windsor Park cubs and scouts will hold church parade Sunday at 2.30 to Oak Bay United Church.

Sidney Group: Ed. Mason has taken over the troop as Scoutmaster with John Gurton as assistant. Pack and troop plan a display meeting at the Scout Hall, March 8. The committee under chairman R. Hannan has planned a telephone bridge for next week.

Prospect Lake Group: J. Long took the chair at the group meeting in place of R. Fraser, chairman. Cub leaders Stan Jacobs and Mrs. W. Hawes were congratulated for a successful year with their charges. Officers elected were R. Fraser, chairman, and Mrs. Irene Terry, secretary-treasurer. It was decided to hold a quarterly meeting for parents.

Nanaimo District: District Commission E. Steves says it is expected 17 scouts from the Nanaimo area will attend the jamboree this year. Charcoal burners will be purchased for the scouts to practice with as they will have to use them for cooking at the jamboree.

Campbell River Group: Wolf cubs Bart, Fletcher, Ron, Webster, Bill Thompson and Bob Clark became scouts at a "going-up" ceremony recently. The Quadra Island group is carrying on under the leadership of Les. White and Don. Huntley, it is reported by district chairman George Clark.

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A WELL KNOWN VANCOUVER ACTOR and director is to adjudicate the 13th annual Schools Drama Festival, to be held in Victoria from Monday, March 7 to Saturday, March 12. He is Peter Mannering, who delighted audiences at Totem Theatre last winter. Mr. Mannering studied theatre arts at the famed Pasadena Playhouse in California, from which he graduated cum laude. He has directed and acted with Totem Theatre, UBC Players' Club, and Holiday children's theatre. He has also considerable experience in radio, TV and in teaching.

FAILS TO WIN, SUICIDES

COVENTRY, Eng. (Reuters)—Failure to win the football pools, Britain's big weekly gamble on the results of soccer matches, was blamed Tuesday for the suicide of a 55-year-old Ukrainian immigrant, Karpo Waschschuk, who was said to have spent £5 of his wages every week on the pools.

Kitsilano Band Returns Here Feb. 18-19

Ruth Champion Vocal Soloist

The famous Kitsilano Boys' Band from Vancouver, conducted by Arthur W. Delamont, will present two concerts in the S. J. Willis Junior High School auditorium Feb. 18 and 19.

Guest artist will be Ruth Champion, well-known Victoria vocalist. Concerts will start at 8 p.m.

In its past three performances the band played to capacity audiences. This May the band will embark on another European tour and during a five-month trip will visit England, Sweden, Norway, France and Germany.

Concert tickets may be purchased from S. J. Willis students, Victoria Music Centre and Ward's Music Store.

MODERN MEDICINES

The big majority of medical prescriptions now are for medicines that didn't even exist 15 years ago.

'Shtiggy Boom' Should Make Hit Parade After All This

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—Shtiggy boom. Shtiggy boom. Shtiggy boom. Shtiggy boom. That's what listeners of radio station WNOE heard hour after hour Monday and Tuesday.

The constant playing of the rhythm-blues number started as a publicity gag to focus attention to the station's new around-the-clock operation. But disc jockeys Bill Stanley and Bill Elliott became fascinated by the idea of playing the record constantly.

They obtained permission from station general manager James Gordon to try for a world mark for playing the same record. No one could say what the record is.

At last count, the record had been played nearly 1,000 times and Stanley and Elliott apparently were determined to continue, interrupted only by commercials and newscasts.

Stanley and Elliott haven't left the transmitter, located some 11 miles from New Orleans.

In their attempt for a record, they have worn out two copies of "Shtiggy Boom" and have only one copy left. But they've rigged up a tape recording of the record and the only time they're using their last copy of the record is when the tape recorder needs rewinding.



LEADING PARTS in the operetta "The Forest Prince" will be played by Diane Norton, dancer and Chris Hopkins and Barbara Donnison. Based on themes by Tchaikovsky the show will be played by Oak Bay High School students in the school auditorium March 1 and 2.

Students at Oak Bay High Busy Rehearsing Operetta

One of the year's big projects is now in preparation at Oak Bay High School and will culminate March 1 and 2 with presentation of the operetta "The Forest Prince."

Busily rehearsing under the direction of Miss K. Youdall are principals, a chorus of 45, a corps de ballet and orchestra of approximately 25 instruments. Scores of other students are at work behind the scenes on costumes, scenery, props, posters and lighting equipment, and teachers are devoting much free time to supervision of the work.

Based on themes by Tchaikovsky "The Forest Prince" story is laid in the latter part of the 16th century and concerns the fortunes of a princess who is held captive in the forest.

Principals are Barbara Donnison, Chris Hopkins, Mark Fairley, Myra Johnson, Mike Long, George Megaw, David Scantles and Paul Rothe.

Vigorous Russian-style dancing is a feature of the show relieved by graceful waltzes in which Marilyn Sommers and Ken Bull are featured. The orchestra is directed by G. King.

Must Cut Milk Price

OTTAWA (CP)—A Canadian dairy authority, W. K. St. John of National Dairy Council, today warned that the price of bottled milk must be cut if the industry is to compete with instant-dissolving milk powders to be placed on the Canadian market shortly.

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10:00-11:30-Naden
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UNION MOVES TO BREAK CITY PAY TALK DEADLOCK

Wage contract talks between City Hall and civic outside workers are deadlocked following a Tuesday afternoon meeting, but the union will ask another round-table with city officials.

Some fringe benefit concessions appear likely. A bargaining committee met with city manager Cecil Wyatt Tuesday but the city refused to budge in its stand against wage increases. It was indicated that Johnson Street Bridge operators may be given a 40-hour week however. Also service pay of 10 cents a day after five years' service may be agreed to.

The bargaining committee reported to the 240-man membership later and it was decided to ask the city for another meeting.

One Agency Handling Seaway Project Jobs

A central employment bureau will be set up by the Unemployment Insurance Commission to serve the needs of employers and employees in connection with the St. Lawrence seaway and other projects.

"It becomes urgent, in view of the publicity given to the St. Lawrence Seaway and Power Project, to emphasize the organized hiring policy and thereby prevent any stampede of job seekers to that area," C. A. Mudge, Victoria manager of Unemployment Insurance Commission, said.

St. Lawrence Central Employment Bureau will inventory manpower resources after local National Employment Service offices have called in job seekers for re-interview, in this way maintaining a pool of manpower at the central bureau.

The commission says applicants will be saved the expense of personally applying to the many contractors connected with the projects, and the influx of applicants will be controlled. Overcrowding and hardships, to both applicants and the com-

TRAINED TO SYSTEM

To make way for the new system, staff-training programs have been in progress for several months.

Personnel selection manuals have been prepared with aid from Ontario Hydro employment officers. They show, together with a catalogue depicting all types of heavy construction equipment and films of various heavy construction projects, the basis of a course for employment officers in all local NES offices.

Staff trainers from UIC will conduct courses in local offices to ensure best selection techniques are used, the commission states.

Procedure and records in the Central Employment Bureau have been set up in order that contractors' orders for help and applicant placement will be given immediate attention.

By VICTOR MACKIE
Times Ottawa Correspondent

OTTAWA — Reports that United States military aircraft were flying atomic bombs and weapons over Canadian territory en route to American bases in Alaska and Greenland, will be the subject of questions to be asked in the Commons this week.

The reports which received circulation during the recent period of mounting international tension involving Formosa are the subject of questions to be asked by Hazen Argue (CCF-Assiniboia, Sask.). He gave notice of the questions Wednesday.

The transport of atomic weapons over Canada, according to the unconfirmed reports, had been approved by the Canadian government. It was stated that the nuclear weapons were for stock-piling purposes in line with the United States plans to strengthen North American bases against a possible attack over the top of the world.

Mr. Argue has served notice that he will attempt to obtain from the government replies as to the accuracy of the reports. His first question will be:

"Does Canada possess any atomic bombs or atomic weapons of any kind?" He will also ask: "Does Canada permit the transport of atomic bombs from any foreign country into Canada or through Canada? If so, from what foreign countries?"

It was reported here that bomb-laden aircraft, touched down regularly on Canadian airfields for refueling with Edmonton and Goose Bay, Labrador, the two main stopping-off points. The latter, although a Canadian base, has been leased to the U.S. for 20 years.

U.S. aircraft carrying nuclear weapons to Greenland, might also land at Harmon Field and McAndrew air bases in Newfoundland, under a 99-year lease.



TO VISIT OTTAWA — John Foster Dulles, U.S. secretary of state, will make his first official visit to Ottawa March 17-19 it was announced today.

Time-Gag Rule For Legislature Urged by Moore

William Moore (CCF, Comox) Tuesday recommended a 40-minute limit on speeches in the B.C. legislature by private members.

"No speech should go beyond 40 minutes, except for those made by the leader of the Opposition, the leader of the Liberal party and members of the cabinet," said Mr. Moore.

He said there is "far too much political bickering" in the House, and the legislature should follow the pattern laid down by federal MPs in setting a speaking limit.

The Comox member said Labor Minister Lyle Wicks, who spoke Monday, "talked for an hour and said nothing."

BIG SPECIMENS

Full-grown walrus in Arctic waters weigh more than a ton.

MYSTERY RADIUM

RCMP Asks AEC Aid To Get Rid of Vial

OTTAWA (CP) — The RCMP said today investigation of a mysterious vial of radio-active material at Port Arthur, Ont., indicates it is partially-refined radium which is not dangerous unless handled over a long period.

A spokesman said the vial, now in the radium vault of the Port Arthur General Hospital, was obtained by Angus MacDonald in Holland while serving with the Canadian Army provost corps during the Second World War. MacDonald traded various articles for the vial which he brought to Canada.

The RCMP is seeking instructions from the atomic energy commission about disposition of the vial.

The spokesman said the RCMP is aware of the hospital's request that the vial be removed, adding that it is probably considerably less dangerous than the hospital's own radium supply stored in the same vault.

No charges against MacDonald are planned, the spokesman said. Officials here have been unable to estimate the value of the vial's contents pending further analysis. They stated last week that a similar weight of pure radium—about 1½ ounces—would be worth \$1,000,000.

MacDonald turned the vial over to police three weeks ago. He said he had kept it more than 10 years after getting it from a member of the Dutch underground.

Because of the evident radioactivity of its contents, officials of Port Arthur General Hospital have been unhappy about storing it.

"We don't know what it is, but we want to get it out of there," Malcolm Cochran, hospital president, said last week. The vial gets a strong reaction from a geiger counter used to determine radioactivity.

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A drive to give free chest X-rays to employees of every local firm with a payroll of over 100 is at present underway by the Victoria-Esquimalt and Saanich health departments.

Using a portable X-ray unit which can be set up where workers can easily attend, the health officials expect to examine thousands of workers in industrial plants and commercial and government offices.

Operated by Grant Klokeid, the X-ray camera has already visited HMCS Naden, HMCS Dockyard, legislative buildings and some city firms.

The service is aided by funds provided by the B.C. Tuberculosis Society Christmas Seal campaign. The machine is loaned to district health units by the provincial government and the TB Association aids with operation costs.

Local health officials feel the system saves the time of employees and results in early detection of the disease in many cases.

TORONTO (CP) — Toronto Argonauts of the Big Four Football Union said Tuesday night they have had contract talks with Bill Swilacki, former end coach with New York Giants, in an effort to replace head coach Frank Clair.

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Ballerina's Husband Approved as Envoy

LONDON (AP)—The Queen Tuesday approved the appointment of Roberto Arias, husband of Britain's prime ballerina Margot Fonteyn, as Panamanian ambassador to the court of St. James. Arias is due in London Thursday with his bride on their return from a honeymoon in the Bahamas.

Canadian Army Copies U.S. Will Open PX Shops in Camps

OTTAWA (BUP)—The army rectory by Lt. Gen. G. G. Simonds, chief of the general staff, be opened at First Canadian Infantry Brigade bases in Germany in the near future. Profits will be used for the benefit of soldiers and their families on army stations and for regular contributions to the army welfare fund.

'COME OUT FROM BEHIND QUEEN'S SKIRTS'—PRICE

Social Credit MLA Bert Price wants the provincial government to come out from behind "the Queen's skirts" and start paying taxes on Crown property in B.C. cities. Price said provincial and federal governments have been hiding behind Her Majesty's gown for too long, claiming "tax exemptions in the right of the Crown."

"No one should have the right to hide behind our Queen's skirts," Price said.

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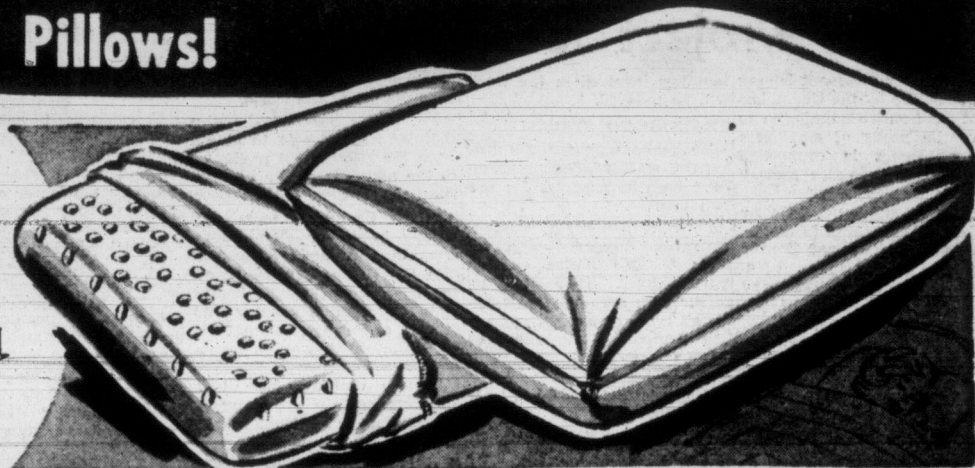
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Printed Pillow Cases

Gay with floral printed decorations!... the borders bright with a matching colour of rose, blue, gold, green, lilac. Hemstitched. Standard size. EATON Spotlight Sale, pair

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"Hobnail" Bedspreads

Better quality rayon tufted spreads with lustre finish. Golden yellow, blue, white, rose, dark and light greens, cherry and pink. Single and double bed size. EATON Spotlight Sale, each

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Striped Bath Towels

Two-tone, self-colour stripe on white... in these generous-size 20x40-inch towels. Cerise-grey, hunter and dark green, black-grey, brown-gold. EATON Spotlight Sale, pair

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Matching Face Cloths, each

19c

Linen Tea Towels

Sets of 3. Colourful, striped towels, each about 16x30 inches, red, blue or green stripes. Cellophane packaged ready for gift-wrapping. EATON Spotlight Sale, set of 3

99c

Linen Luncheon Sets

Plain in vat-dyed shades of blue, gold, red, hunter green, rose, chartreuse, grey, lilac, ivory, peach. Cloth, about 34x34 ins., with 4 napkins. EATON Spotlight Sale, set

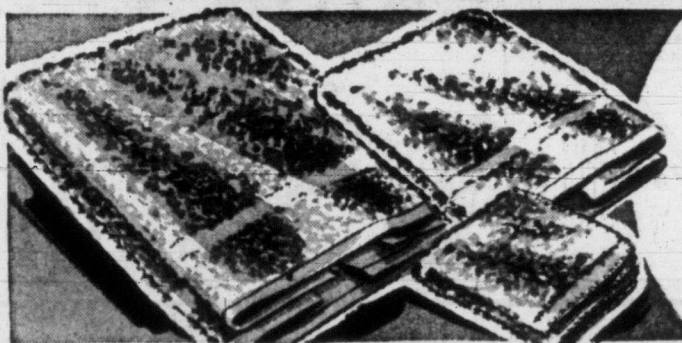
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Damask Dinner Sets

Large-size table cloth, about 56x76 inches, with 8 matching 16-inch napkins! Blue, green, gold, peach and cream damask in rayon and cotton blend... EATON Spotlight Sale, set

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Buy Sets and Sets of Solid-Colour Terry Towels



These from Famous Martex Mills

The colours are many—Nile green, spruce green, azalea rose, pink, azure blue and sunflower. The quality high—all towels finished with "Dacron" selvages for added strength. EATON Spotlight Sale... (Sizes approx.)

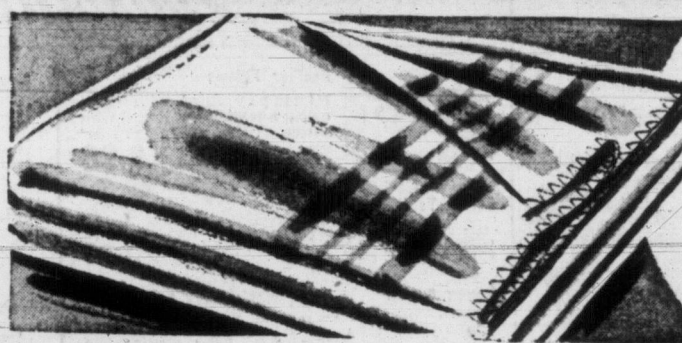
Set of 6 (2 each size)

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24x44 inches, each 1.35
16x28 inches, each 79¢
13x13 inches, each 37¢

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Choose Large "Supreme" Flannelette Blankets



These in Generous 80x90-inch Size

You'll be glad you did—because the size allows for lots of width even on a double bed... with ample length for tuck-in on the largest of beds! Soft-napped finish in white blankets with blue or pink border... ends whipped. EATON Spotlight Sale, pair

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EATON'S—Household Linens, Third Floor, Phone 2-7141

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Quick-Drying Nylon Sleepwear Dainty Styles--Low Priced!



Nylon Tricot Sleepwear

Each price-tagged with the same low price. EATON Spotlight Sale Price, each

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Galaxy of Gowns... each one a charmer. Prettiest with nylon sheer, ruffles of printed nylon or lavished with lace. Square-Yoked Gown, pink or blue. Medium, large sizes. V-Necked Gown—Pink, blue or maize. Small, medium and large sizes.

Dainty Bedjacket

Nylon sheer plus nylon tricot. Pink or blue, medium and large sizes. Spotlight Sale Price, each

2⁹⁹

Tailored Pyjamas

Five colours in small, medium and large sizes. Frosted with embroidered nylon sheer. Spotlight Sale Price, ea.

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Nylon Tricot Slips

Wonderful for everyday. Wonderful for travel. Nylon tricot lingerie here in an excitingly feminine and frothy selection. Washes and dries in no time at all and looks fresh and pretty every minute. White, pink or blue. Sizes 32 to 40. And look at this low price... EATON Spotlight Sale, each

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EATON'S—Lingerie, Second Floor

"Gothic" Bandeaux Bra

Smooth-fitting quality "Gothic" bra with rayon satin elastic back section—no binding. "Cordtex" uplift. Rayon satin bust. Adjustable self shoulder straps. White only. A cup, 32 to 36; B cup, 32 to 38; C cup, 34 to 40. EATON Spotlight Sale Price, each

2 for 1.89

"Gothic" Longline Bra

Deep front band of rayon satin elastic controls that above-girdle roll. Features "Cordtex" uplift, elastic back sections for comfort; adjustable shoulder straps. White rayon satin only. A cup, sizes 32 to 36; B cup, sizes 34 to 40; C cup, sizes 34 to 42. EATON Spotlight Sale Price, each

1.89

"Nu-Back" Corsets

New "Action Back" the secret of good control and comfort for your figure. Side to side and up and down adjustment. Well boned back and front in good quality cotton brocade. Three fittings of short, average, average and full, hip sizes 26 to 34. EATON Spotlight Sale Price, each

4.99

"Biflex" Slimline Girdles

Elastic Criss-Cross Inner Belt flattens your tummy! Nylon. "Biflex" design to flex your figure and 3-inch non-roll Hi-Waist top. Easily washed, light weight, no boning. Slide fastened. White or pink. Two lengths: short length (15-inch) to fit 25 to 32 waist; average length (17-inch) to fit 26 to 34 waist. EATON Spotlight Sale Price, each

4.99

EATON'S—Foundation Garments, Second Floor, Phone 2-7141

Rayon Tricot Panties

Short Cuff Style pantie with double saddle crotch. Flat elastic at waist. White, pink or blue. Sizes 32 to 38. Longer Cuff Style pantie with V-gusset and flat elastic at waist. White, pink, or blue. Small, medium, large sizes. EATON Spotlight Sale, each

59c

Cotton Dusters and Housecoats

Cheery-bright spring-like fashions that wash and still retain their freshness. You'll love the perky styles and fresh detail treatment... Skirts are graceful and full. Come... choose one of each for yourself... feel and look fresh all day, every day. EATON Spotlight Sale, each

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3-Way Duster Coat—80-square cotton Egyptian print on white grounds. Silver coloured cord trim. Red, mauve and tangerine predominate. Sizes 12 to 20. Coat Dress—Delicate pastel plaids. Front-pleated skirt. Sizes 14 to 20 and 16½ to 24½.

Brunch Coat—Daisies sprinkled on soft grounds. Fresh pique trim. Sizes 14 to 44.

Redingote-Type Frock—Mauve, red, blue, navy dotted with daisies. Sizes 14½ to 24½.

Polka Dot Dress with 6 yards of skirt. Fresh pique trim on navy, red, aqua, or green. Sizes 12 to 40.

EATON'S—Wash Frocks, Second Floor Phone 2-7141



Housecoats and Dusters

Flattering, beautifully tailored wrap-arounds and "dusters" fashioned in crisp "Orlon" (acetate and rayon) which whispers like taffeta. Opaque, so you can't see through them. They're also well-behaved travellers. Take up little space in a suitcase and shed wrinkles. And they're washable! Scarlet, green or navy, iced with piping of white nylon. Sizes 12 to 20 in duster and housecoat. EATON Spotlight Sale Price, each

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Anti-U.S. Posters Placed on Island Highway

Anti-U.S. propaganda is being posted by members of the LPP (Communist) party on Island Highway. Hector Crombie (above) secretary of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce blasted LPP members with: "These are deluded Canadians disrupting friendly co-operation between neighboring democracies." Poster

shown with Mr. Crombie about to tear it down was on Highway near Skeena Road. RCMP are on look-out for others. An LPP spokesman says "about 30" were put up. Unauthorized posters within 1,000 feet of highway are illegal under Highways Act, those posting them liable to prosecution. (Times photo.)

Reds Set Price For Chiang Seat At 10-Nation Formosa Parley

DULLES MAKES MAJOR POLICY SPEECH TONIGHT

WASHINGTON (UP)—Secretary of State John Foster Dulles will review U.S. foreign policy tonight in a major speech.

Advance indications were that Dulles will clarify U.S. policy on defending Quemoy and Matsu, the Chinese Nationalist-held islands which lie just off the Red Chinese mainland and within range of Communist guns.

Dulles' speech will be delivered to the Foreign Policy Association in New York City but will be broadcast and televised at 7:30 p.m. (PST) by some networks and at 8:30 p.m. by others.

Nevada Atomic Blast Delayed Second Time

Shifting Winds Cause Postponement of AEC Test; May Be Held Tomorrow Morning

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP)—Cautious atomic testers hoped today to plan a third attempt to pry the lid off Operation Teapot, the new nuclear series which has been twice delayed by shifting winds.

The opening shot had been set for Tuesday morning, but was postponed then because of high northerly winds.

A meeting today may determine whether the tower blast will be rescheduled for pre-dawn Thursday.

NOT HYDROGEN BOMB

Among those anxious for the get-away blast is AEC chairman Lewis Strauss, who Tuesday released details of the H-bomb's radio-active potency and stressed the need for more civil defense work in this test series.

In a new warning of the horrors of atomic war, Strauss said Tuesday its H-bomb blast in the Pacific last March seriously contaminated 7,000 square miles.

On the basis of test data from the very large thermonuclear device" set off at Bikini atoll last March and other information, the commission made the following estimates:

"Following the March 1, 1954,

explosion, there was sufficient radioactivity in a downwind belt, about 140 miles in length and of varying width up to 20 miles, to have seriously threatened the lives of nearly all persons in the area who took no protective measures.

PROTECTION POSSIBLE

"Some distance farther from the point of detonation, at about 160 miles downwind and along the axis of the ellipse, the amount of radioactivity would have seriously threatened the lives of about one-half of the persons in the area who took no protection measures.

Jenkins Skating Champ

VIENNA (UP)—Hayes Alan Jenkins of Colorado Springs, U.S., retained his world figure skating title tonight at the 1955 championships.

RESCUED JET FLIER HAS LEG AMPUTATED

WINNIPEG (CP)—An American Air Force officer who lay in the northern Saskatchewan bush for three days with a broken leg after parachuting from a doomed Strato-jet bomber had the lower part of his right leg amputated today.

Capt. Thomas Pittman, 34, who was rescued Tuesday and flown here, underwent the operation at Deer Lodge Military Hospital.

Doctors said he is in "surprisingly good condition" after his ordeal. The amputation was made just below the right knee. (See Page 3).

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Gang War in Vancouver?

Booby-Trapped Car Hurls Man 10 Feet

Salesman Badly Hurt; Bomb Wired to Battery

VANCOUVER (CP)—A man who may have been the latest target on an underworld death list lay in a guarded hospital room today after being severely injured in the bomb blast which destroyed his car.

Jack Leonhard, 38-year-old salesman, was reported in satisfactory condition following a successful midnight operation to save his torn right leg. He also suffered facial cuts.

Detectives said Leonhard's car was shattered Tuesday night by a bomb placed beside the battery. It was believed wired to the ignition.

Officials refused to voice any theories but their choice of investigators indicated they are working on the possibility that the assassination attempt may be linked with two other gangland-style attacks here, one of them successful.

Mrs. Pauline Leonhard, the victim's wife, told police she was putting their two children to bed when her husband went out to the car, parked next to the house.

She walked out to the porch just as the blast occurred.

"I have no idea who could have done it," she said. "He was very, very lucky."

Fireman Billy MacDonald said "Leonhard was bleeding so much, it was difficult to tell what his injuries were. His clothing was all but torn off him. He was lying on his back, semi-conscious."

WON'T TALK NOW

Shocked Wife Cries! "Why Did He Do It?"

VANCOUVER (CP)—The murder-hid on the life of salesman Jacob Leonhard is all a mystery to his wife.

Leonhard, 38, was seriously injured Tuesday night when his car was blown up by a dynamite bomb.

"I have no idea who put the bomb in the car," Mrs. Leonhard told reporters today. "I don't know of anyone who would have done it."

BEDROOM LITTERED

"I thought the furnace had blown up," said Mrs. Leonhard.

She had been getting her two young children ready for bed in the room opposite the explosion site.

"The bedroom was a mess of shattered glass from the window, but the children were not injured."

A cloud of smoke covered the lawn as Mrs. Leonhard ran to her husband. She collapsed and was treated at hospital for shock.

REMARKS UNEXPLAINED

Leonhard had landed 10 feet from the car wreckage, and neighbors who gathered at the scene quoted Mrs. Leonhard as saying:

"Why did he do it? Why did he throw it here?"

There was no explanation of her remarks today. She told reporters: "I don't want to talk any more."

Leonhard came here four or five years ago from the east, and is reported to have lived in Winnipeg for some years.

Villages Swept Away

JAKARTA, Indonesia (Reuters)—Whole villages have been swept away and tens of thousands left homeless in central Sumatra, where incessant rains during the last 10 days have caused the worst floods in the region's history.

Three Models of Swift Jet Fighter Discarded

LONDON (Reuters)—Britain has developed "an effective air defense" against anything a potential enemy at present could hurl at her, the government announced in a white paper tonight.

The government also claimed Britain possesses the world's best night-time air defense and fighter planes fitted with "the most destructive gun armament in service anywhere in the world."

The government issued the white paper in reply to criticism from newspapers and Labor members of Parliament that the country's fighter aircraft program is lagging.

The government admitted that after a series of exhaustive tests, it was decided that the first three versions of the Swift jet fighter—one-time holder of the world's speed record—cannot be brought to "an acceptable operational standard."

Modifications have been made recently on the fourth version of the Swift to test whether it has improved sufficiently to be put into service with the RAF. Troubles with the Hawker Hunter, the white paper said, have been largely overcome and "substantial numbers" of them have been delivered to the RAF.

"The view that the services are equipped with obsolete aircraft dating from the last war is totally incorrect," the white paper said.

There is a row of trees and

Dr. Robert Arthur Jones was one of the first to reach Leonhard.

"He was lying in a cloud of smoke," Dr. Jones said.

The victim was unconscious, but revived a few moments later.

"I asked him to open his eyes and he did," Dr. Jones said. "He knew what I was asking him to do."

The doctor said Leonhard kept mumbling, "I'm cold, I'm cold," and was suffering from shock.

Supt. Jack Horton of the Vancouver police department's criminal investigation branch took charge of the case.

Police theorized that the bomb was placed in the auto after Leonhard went in to eat supper.

There is a row of trees and

Fights Bobo

Fresh from his upset triumph over Sugar (Ray) Robinson, Ralph (Tiger) Jones, above, will step into the ring at Chicago tonight against rugged middleweight champion Carl (Bobo) Olson.

Olson was an 8-1 favorite to win the nationally televised bout. (Victorians can view the fight on Channel 11 starting at 7).



ANEURIN BEVAN ... to force issue?

Bevan to Force British Debate On Arms Pact?

LONDON (AP)—Aneurin Bevan today pushed a new move to delay West German rearmament until after the Western powers hold top level talks with the Russians.

The left-wing Labor leader has obtained surprisingly large support from the Labor party's moderate wing that heretofore has looked to Clement Attlee, the official leader, for guidance.

Political observers said if Bevan's manoeuvre is successful, he will place both Attlee and the government in an awkward parliamentary position.

Both Attlee and Prime Minister Churchill favor Big Four talks but only after ratification of the Paris agreements to rearm and integrate the West Germans into the Western defense setup.

Bevan attacked their position in a motion introduced in the House of Commons Tuesday night. A total of 104 Laborites joined the Bevanites in sponsoring this measure. If this list grows by the week-end to include an absolute majority of the 285 Labor members, the Bevanite motion will have to be debated. The true Bevanite strength is figured at 40.

Attlee would suffer a marked loss of prestige if the motion goes to a debate.

Anti-Reds 'Surrender' Location

BERNE, Switzerland (AP)—Three anti-Communists holding the barricaded Romanian legation here surrendered without bloodshed today.

The three men were between 27 and 35 years of age. They refused to give their names. The leader of the band told police his father had been killed by the Russians in Romania.

The group, which killed the legation chauffeur when he resisted them early Tuesday, had vowed to hold the legation in this capital of neutral Switzerland until their Red homeland freed five resistance leaders from imprisonment behind the Iron Curtain.

The group had been given an ultimatum to get out or fight. Swiss tank officers surveyed the legation area and rifle-armed troops ringed the grounds.

The Swiss government meanwhile formally apologized to Romania for the assault and for the death of Aurel Selu, the legation's chauffeur, who was fatally injured while resisting the invaders late Monday.

HEADED FOR ST. KITTS

200 Dance Calypso For Doll Princess

ST. KITTS, Leeward Islands (Reuters)—Princess Margaret headed for a brief but crowded visit on this sugar island today after bidding goodbye to Antigua in a gay calypso jam session Tuesday night.

The princess beat time with her hands and feet and led the applause at a gay musical display for her on the lawns of Government House at St. John's, Antigua.

Clowns wearing weird West Indian "ghost" costumes pranced on the lawn cracking whips and "King Big U" sang a calypso composed in her honor. The more than 200 performers bowed to her at the end of the 90-minute show.

2-FRONT WAR IF FORMOSA ATTACKED

TAIPEI (UP)—The chief of staff of the Republic of Korea's army, Gen. Chung Il Kwon, said today that Korea would "automatically" open a second front against Red China in the north if the Chinese Communists attack Formosa.

Chung told a press conference here that the Nationalists and ROK forces would wage such a two-front war "without any documents or pacts."

Rubinstein Killers Known Says DA Office

NEW YORK (AP)—The district attorney's office said today it knows who killed Serge Rubinstein, colorful draft-dodging millionaire found slain in his Fifth Avenue mansion Jan. 27.

Identity of the suspect or suspects was not disclosed.

But assistant district attorney Alexander Herman told a judge he feels he knows who "did commit this crime."

Herman made the statement as Herman Scholz, 50-year-old cab driver, was held in \$25,000 bail in the case.

Herman said Scholz "conveyed" a "very interesting idea" of kidnapping Rubinstein to some persons, and that those persons were his suspects.

The rejection touched off informal "soundings" by various nations on the possibility of finding a cease-fire formula in a conference outside the U.N.

In this, the Kremlin apparently has the backing of the Chinese Communist regime, they said.

Red Chinese Premier Chou En-Lai rejected an invitation to discuss the potentially explosive issue at United Nations headquarters in New York.

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PREMIER ABSENT AS INSULTS FLY

Gibson Rips Sacred FM Plan; Demands All-Party Inquiry

Liberal Gordon Gibson roared, pleaded, dared, prayed, and shouted Tuesday to have Social Credit issuance of forest management licenses brought under the careful scrutiny of a legislative committee.

The brawny Lillooet member climaxed a speech Tuesday afternoon by asking the government backbenchers to "show some backbone," and force a committee investigation.

Gibson started his speech Monday afternoon, and had to continue Tuesday because of the House's mandatory six o'clock adjournment.

His entire address was based on his claim money is changing hands in the granting of management licenses. "I firmly believe money talks, and has talked," said Gibson.

Premier Bennett walked out minutes after the Lillooet Liberal opened up, and did not enter the chamber again until Gibson took his seat.

As the premier left, Gibson remarked: "I don't wonder the premier is walking out. He can't take it—it must be hard for him to stomach."

He said the entire productive wealth of B.C.'s vital forest industry is passing into the hands of a "few big boys," who are coming directly under the thumb of the government.

"If one of them was seen with the Leader of the Opposition, (Continued on Page 28)



Mister Bevan's ag'inst armin', but he don't mind bein' alarmin'.

M' Uncle Zeke got so lost in th' fog las' night, sed he felt like he ought t' be makin' a political speech.

Thet H bomb's durn near as dangerous as a week-end on th' U.S. highways.

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V's Beat German Team 11-4

BERLIN (UP)—The Pentecost V's tonight scored an 11-4 victory over a German all-star team in an exhibition hockey game.

LPP Group 'Pickets' Legislature

Nearly 100 members of the Labor-Progressive Party this afternoon paraded in front of the Legislative Buildings protesting the export of British Columbia's natural resources.

The orderly lobbyists displayed placards and walked quietly around at the building's main entrance. They also handed out pamphlets.

Mine, Mill Union Official Quits

DENVER (AP)—Maurice E. Travis has resigned as secretary-treasurer of the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers (Ind.).

Travis was indicted last October for swearing falsely in a non-Communist affidavit required of union officials. He is free on bond and no trial.

CIO Union Rejects AFL Merger

NEW YORK (AP)—The 170,000-member CIO Transport Workers Union today turned thumbs down on joining the proposed CIO-AFL merger on the present basis.

Bold Thief Grabs, \$65, Vanishes

VANCOUVER (CP)—A bold young thief snatched \$65 from the cash register of a downtown cafe today, then vanished into the shopping crowds.

Hughes Signs Dodger Contract

BROOKLYN (UP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers came to terms today with portly Jim Hughes, their huskiest relief pitcher of all time, giving him what vice-president Buzzy Ravasi termed a "good raise" to about \$14,000. Dodgers now have 41 players signed.

U.K. Builds New Comet Jetliners

LONDON (AP)—Britain is going ahead in building a new fleet of Comets to replace the sleek jet airliners grounded 10 months ago after twin disasters in the Mediterranean, the government announced in the House of Commons today.

UBC Student Beaten, Robbed, Bound

VANCOUVER (CP)—A 27-year-old University of B.C. student was beaten unconscious and robbed on a lonely campus trail early today by attackers who tied him to a tree.

Douwe Bakker, a Dutch immigrant studying arts at the university, was reported in good condition in the university hospital. His feet were bound to a tree with his own shoelaces.

New Coast Hockey League
Planned, Seattle Reports

SEATTLE (AP)—The Times'ing with officials of the Vancouver Canucks, New Westminster Royals and Victoria Cougars.

Lester Patrick, president of the Victoria Cougars, when questioned today about the proposed new league denied any knowledge of the setup.

"We have had no dealing with Frank Dotten for months," Patrick said. "We have no representative meeting with Dotten in Vancouver as reported."

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FOR 'MONEY TALKS' CHARGE

GIBSON EXPELLED
FROM LEGISLATURESeek Two Men
In Bombing

Vancouver Salesman Badly Hurt;
Bomb Tied to Ignition of Auto

(From BUP and CP Dispatches)

VANCOUVER—A "pick-up" order for two men was broadcast today by police in the wake of the attempted murder of Vancouver salesman Jack Leonhard Tuesday night.

Mixed trading marked a quiet afternoon session on the Vancouver stock exchange.

Late sales: 500 National Exploration 77, 1,000 Peace River 78, 500 Beta 25, 1,000 Sand River 27, 300 Pacific Nickel 25, 3,000 Futurity 30, 100 Inland Natural Gas 320, 500 Sparmac 46, 500 Alberta Distillers 185, 50 MacMillan & Bloedel \$31.75, 10 B.C. Electric 4, \$95, 800 Alberta Distillers Voting 1.62, 500 Sparmac 47, 500 Taylor Bridge 25, 500 Massey Harris \$9, 10,000 Edoran 18, 1,000 North-west Ventures 35, 1,000 Mill City 27, 1,000 Giant Mascot 65, 1,000 Mid-West Gas \$2, 500 Kroil Oil 130.

A neighbor of the seriously injured Leonhard reported 10 days ago that two men were lurking "suspiciously" in the district. The neighbor, James Dunbar, turned the license number of a car used by the two men over to police.

It was reported that Leonhard had received a number of underworld threats on his life and carried a gun in his car for protection.

A rifle and quantity of shells were found in the wreckage of his car.

Leonhard gave his occupation as salesman, but his wife said he was a self-employed carpenter.

Mayor Fred Hume said, "we are determined to uproot this terrible menace if at all possible."

Investigation into the bombing and other recent unsolved crimes would be pressed "with all men possible."

Detectives said Leonhard's car was shattered Tuesday night by a bomb placed beside the battery. It was believed the assassination attempt may be linked with two other gangland-style attacks here, one of them successful.

Mrs. Pauline Leonhard, the victim's wife, told police she was putting their two children to bed when her husband went out to the car, parked next to the house.

She walked out to the porch just as the blast occurred.

"I have no idea who could have done it," she said. "He was very, very lucky."

Fireman Billy MacDonald said Leonhard was bleeding so much, it was difficult to tell what his injuries were. His clothing was all but torn off. He was lying on his back, semi-conscious.

A telescope-sighted rifle was

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Fights Bobo

Fresh from his upset triumph over Sugar (Ray) Robinson, Ralph (Tiger) Jones, above, will step into the ring at Chicago tonight against rugged middleweight champion Carl (Bobo) Olson. Olson was an 8-1 favorite to win the nationally televised bout. (Victorians can view the fight on Channel 11 starting at 7.)

No Trace Found
Of Lost Airliner

NORCIA, Italy (UP)—Italian officials directing the search for a Belgian airliner missing since Sunday with 29 persons aboard confirmed today that planes had sighted wreckage on a mountainside.

But Italian police searching the slopes of the mountain on foot reported they were only 1,240 feet from the summit without finding any trace of the wreckage.

Pineau Goes Ahead

PARIS (UP)—Socialist premier-designate Christian Pineau decided definitely today to try to form a new government to end France's 12-day-old political crisis.

He made his decision in defiance of powerful right-wing opposition.

Pineau told President Rene Coty that he would begin passing out posts in his cabinet tonight and then would go before the National Assembly Friday to demand confirmation of his proposed government.

2-FRONT WAR
IF FORMOSA
ATTACKED

TAIPEI (UP)—The chief of staff of the Republic of Korea's army, Gen. Chung Il Kwon, said today that Korea would "automatically" open a second front against Red China in the north if the Chinese Communists attack Formosa.

Chung told a press conference here that the Nationalists and ROK forces would wage such a two-front war "without any documents or pacts."

Rubinstein
Killers Known
Says DA Office

NEW YORK (AP)—The district attorney's office said today it knows who killed Serge Rubinstein, colorful draft-dodger millionaire found slain in his Fifth Avenue mansion Jan. 27.

Identity of the suspect or suspects was not disclosed.

But assistant district attorney Alexander Herman told a judge he feels he knows who "did commit this crime."

Herman made the statement as Herman Scholz, 50-year-old cab driver, was held in \$25,000 bail in the case.

Herman said Scholz "conveyed" a "very interesting idea" of kidnapping Rubinstein to some persons, and that those persons were his suspects.

POLICE FIND WEAPONS

After Scholz was picked up Tuesday more than 65 detectives swarmed through his home on Long Island. There, the officers said, they found a number of weapons, surgical tape, venetian blind cords and clippings about the Rubinstein murder of 20 days ago.

The wealthy financial manipulator was found bound, gagged and murdered on the floor of his palatial Fifth Avenue home. He had been tied with venetian blind cord and gagged with surgical tape.

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Stalks Out
Amid Uproar

Lillooet Member Allowed Back
Only 'At Pleasure of House'

Speaker of the House Tom Irwin this afternoon "named" Liberal MLA Gordon Gibson of Lillooet because he refused to withdraw a statement made in the Legislature yesterday.

The move came just after the House started the regular afternoon sitting.

"Naming" is the procedure whereby the Speaker orders a member to leave his seat in the House. He must remain out until the House votes for his return.

It was the first time a member of the Legislature has been named since the 1930 session.

To give Gibson an additional chance to reconsider, the House used a parliamentary device—adjournment of standing orders—after the Lillooet member had been "named."

If he doesn't face "suspension at the pleasure of the House," Parliamentary authorities say he would have to come to the bar of the Legislature to withdraw and be reprimanded by Mr. Speaker before taking his seat.

Here is the statement Gibson refused to withdraw:

"I firmly believe that money talks and that money has talked in this."

The MLA was referring to Social Credit government forest policies.

REFUSED TWICE

Gibson twice refused to withdraw the statement before being "named."

After the Speaker's action, the member walked from the assembly amid desk-thumping from opposition benches.

It started when Attorney General Robert Bonner rose and demanded Gibson unreservedly withdraw his statement.

The attorney-general said: "The remarks of the member for Lillooet (Gibson) constituted imputations of false and unwarranted motives against the conduct of this government's ministers."

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Gibson rose and walked out with opposition members pounding desks.

Opposition Leader Webster said he was disturbed because the government said nothing in reply to Gibson yesterday, "treated Gibson with silent contempt, and now, 24 hours later, come out with this."

Tuesday, Gibson roared, pleaded, dared, prayed and shouted to have Social Credit issuance of forest management licenses brought under the careful scrutiny of a legislative committee.

The brawny Lillooet member climaxed his speech by asking the government backbenchers to "show some backbone," and force a committee investigation.

Gibson started his speech Monday afternoon, and had to continue Tuesday because of the House's mandatory six o'clock adjournment.

His entire address was based on his claim money is changing hands in the granting of management licenses. "I firmly believe money talks, and has talked," said Gibson.

Premier Bennett walked out minutes after the Lillooet Liberal opened up, and did not enter the chamber again until Gibson took his seat.

CAN'T TAKE IT

As the premier left, Gibson remarked: "I don't wonder the premier is walking out. He can't take it—it must be hard for him to stomach."

He said the entire productive wealth of B.C.'s vital forest industry is passing into the hands of a "few big boys" who are coming directly under the thumb of the government.

"If one of them was seen with the Leader of the Opposition, (Continued on Page 28)

Villages Swept Away

JAKARTA, Indonesia (Reuters)—Whole villages have been swept away and tens of thousands left homeless in central Sumatra, where incessant rains during the last 10 days have caused the worst floods in the region's history.

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